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**MODEL DEMONSTRATION
VICTORY — GARDENS**

To help the citizens of Boston
plan plant and harvest a
banner **Victory** crop for **1943**

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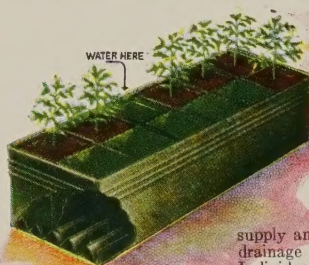


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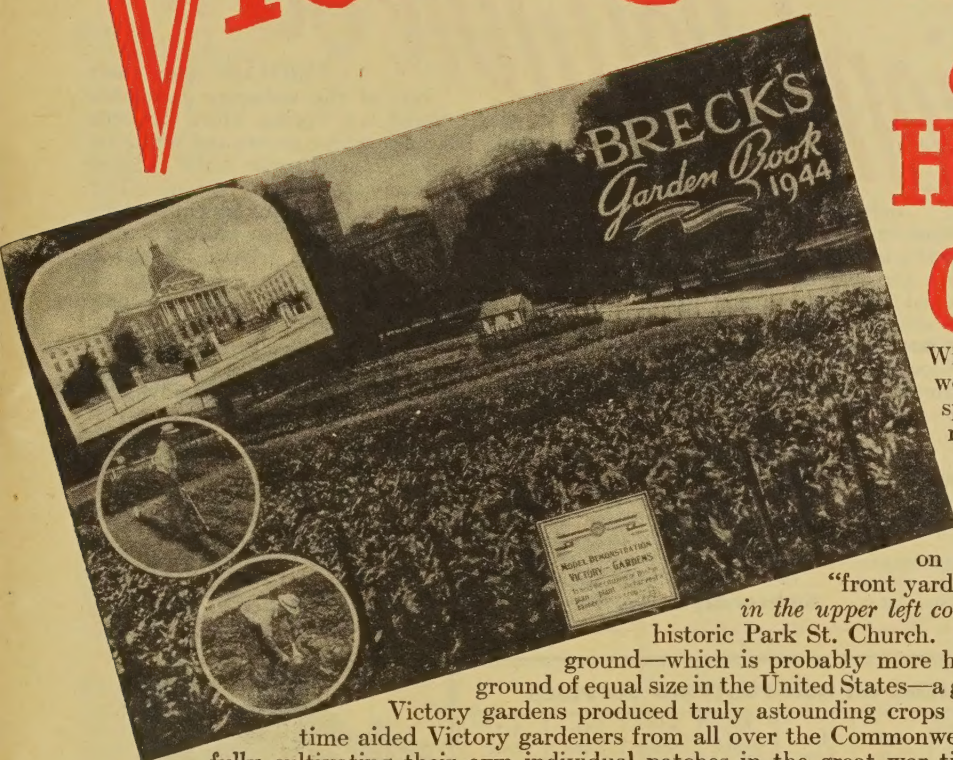
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VICTORY GARDENS ON HISTORIC GROUND



With more than pardonable pride we ask you to study the double spread covers of our 1944 catalog realizing that Boston's now famous and amazingly successful Victory Garden Campaign of 1943 centered around the Model Gardens that flourished on Boston Common in the very

"front yard" of the State House (illustrated in the upper left corner) within a stone's throw of historic Park St. Church. On this piece of sloping sun-lit ground—which is probably more historic than any other piece of

ground of equal size in the United States—a group of carefully planned model

Victory gardens produced truly astounding crops of vegetables and at the same time aided Victory gardeners from all over the Commonwealth, and elsewhere, in successfully cultivating their own individual patches in the great war time service of food production.

Sparked by the dynamic leadership and untiring interest of Mayor Maurice J. Tobin, and operated under the personal direction of William P. Long, Boston's able Park Commissioner, this great gardening project got underway when the Mayor, with coat off and sleeves rolled up, drove the point of Daniel Webster's own plow* into the soil of Boston's hallowed Common and thus gave impetus to the planting of many more than ten thousand Victory gardens in the Greater Boston area. In the history of Boston no more constructive project was ever undertaken; no greater success was ever achieved.

PLANTED EXCLUSIVELY WITH BRECK'S SEEDS

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The cover illustrations with the insets showing both cultivation and harvest, faithfully picture this extraordinary civic project in which Breck's Seeds played such a leading part. We feel that the operation of these Demonstration Vegetable gardens represented an important contribution to the war effort of 1943 and that it measures to a certain extent what even greater successes may be achieved from the planting of Breck's Tested Seeds in the Victory gardens of 1944.

*Daniel Webster's plow is the cherished possession of this Company. Daniel Webster himself was a customer for many years. The ancient plow came into our possession after his death and it may be seen at any time in our Franklin St. Seed Store.

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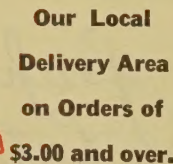
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PERHAPS you were one of the unhappy gardeners who suffered last Spring when we were several weeks behind in filling orders and when we were just plain "bogged down" on our paper work! Please believe that we are genuinely sorry for any trouble caused you. (The consolation we had was that every other major seedsman was in exactly the same boat.) We have made up for it this year, to give you service of the kind we believe in—in what promises to be a record year yet—we have done these things: Through priorities we have increased our order handling capacity; more than doubled our order handling capacity; and delivered your orders several weeks earlier than last year. Everything in the catalogue is available now. We have eliminated all listings where we're not sure of having stock. We'll let the market know we're here. **What can you do:** Order earlier than you ever have before; combine orders; use express shipping; use air power, cartons, transportation, etc. and give us a chance to take care of you the established custom of ordering seeds and supplies well in advance.

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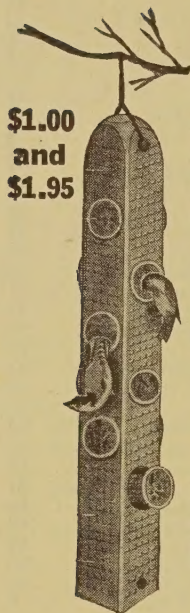
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EARLY**

Bird Foods and Feeders

Bird Foods and Feeders are Postpaid within 300 miles of Boston



\$1.00
and
\$1.95

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A very exclusive diner for the friendly chickadees and other birds. Hangs anywhere outdoors. Comes crammed full of 12 delicious assorted Tidbits. Attracts the small clinging birds as flowers attract bees. 16 inches long, stained weather-resisting, pleasing brown. A big \$1.00 value for any bird lover.

No. CDA.....\$1.00, 3 for \$2.85

Beyond 300 miles from Boston, add 10%;
beyond 1,000 miles, add 20%

Same as above but **BOXED WITH 24 EXTRA TIDBITS FOR REFILLS.**

No. CDC.....\$1.95, 2 for \$3.75

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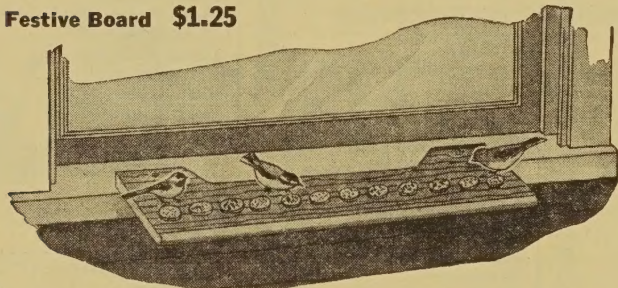
Twenty-four inches of fun with assorted Tidbits every 2 inches. Wood Tray Feeder, stained a pleasing, weather-resisting brown. Easily attached to window sill or porch rail, and easily refillable. Fine for teaching children to care for their feathered friends.

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Festive Board \$1.25



WILD BIRD SUET CAKES

BIRD BANQUET. A high quality, pure ingredient combination of pressed-peanut-and-suet that will not melt or deteriorate; fits all standard feeders.

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It fills the Bill

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5 lbs.....\$0.95 25 lbs.....\$3.75
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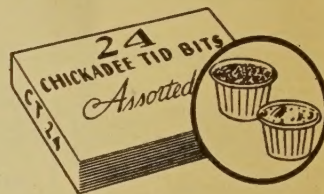
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Assorted seed-and-suet and pressed-peanut-and-suet molded into paper cups. You will want them as refills for the Chickadee Diner and the Festive Board; clean and easy to push into place. Keep plenty on hand—they are irresistible to the birds!

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\$1.00

BIRD CAFES

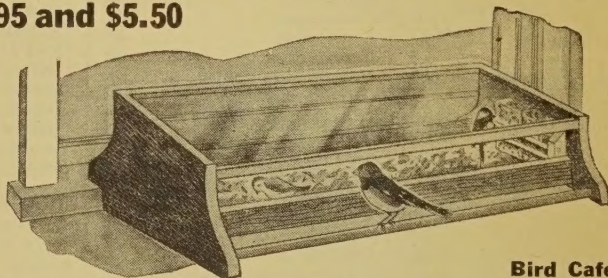
A de luxe 25-inch long cafe that will attract the neighborhood birds to your window sill even in stormy weather. Double thick glass top and patented design defy the weather. With a suet-cake holder at one end and a grain hopper at the other end of the long feeding tray, and the food and birds protected from the weather, you will have a small army of friendly visitors daily. Sturdily constructed of wood, stained a pleasing brown, the Bird Cafe is easily attached to the window sill from inside the room.

No. W25.....\$5.50 each

No. W16 (same design, but 16 inches long).....\$3.95 each

Beyond 300 miles from Boston, add 10%; beyond 1,000 miles, add 20%

\$3.95 and \$5.50



Bird Cafe

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with **BRECK'S**
GRASS SEED

Breck's

BOSTON PARK

FOR SUNNY LOCATIONS

NEW ENGLAND'S MOST FAMOUS QUALITY LAWN SEED

For many years "Boston Park" has been our standard recommendation to those who wish the best in lawn grass seed mixtures and for years its reputation as a quality lawn builder has grown. The experience of five generations of New England seedsmen has been used in the blending of this superb mixture of choice grasses, each of which has survived the test of the most rigorous cold as well as the opposite extremes of Summer weather. "Boston Park" is designed to provide the kind of lawn that everybody wants; one that starts green in the Spring and stays green throughout the season. Guaranteed to contain no crabgrass seed.

Due to popular demand **no Clover is included in this mixture.**

Breck's

Shady Spot

Lb.

80¢

5 lbs. \$3.80, 10 lbs. \$7.20

25 lbs. \$17.00, 100 lbs. \$64.00

Use one pound to 250 square feet

A companion to **Breck's Boston Park Lawn Seed Mixture** and designed to blend perfectly with it. It is adapted to those places which have little or no direct sunshine. The component grasses are all of the highest quality. They have been chosen for their ability to withstand climatic extremes and because they will thrive in shady places where other grasses will not grow. Guaranteed to contain no crabgrass seed.

Breck's

Bank and Terrace

Lb.

70¢

5 lbs. \$3.20, 10 lbs. \$6.00

25 lbs. \$14.00, 100 lbs. \$54.00

Use one pound to 250 square feet

Banks and terraces are often a part of the lawn surface around a house. For such sloping areas it is necessary to use a Lawn Seed Mixture that contains grasses which establish themselves quickly and with roots systems that will not only support the grass plants, but also insure the sloping ground against erosion. The grasses used in Bank and Terrace Mixture will meet all conditions of drought and torrential rain.

Breck's

Putting Green

Lb.

95¢

5 lbs. \$4.50, 10 lbs. \$8.50

25 lbs. \$20.00, 100 lbs. \$76.00

Use one pound to 250 square feet

A mixture of Bent and other choice grasses which will withstand very close mowing and will produce a turf of that smooth, close, fine texture so necessary to the good putting green. The seeds that go into this mixture are of the highest grade and have been carefully tested for purity and germination.

Breck's

Clover, White Dutch

1/4 lb.

50¢

lb. \$1.50, 5 lbs. \$7.00

10 lbs. \$13.50

This is the Clover which has been used so widely in lawn grass mixtures. Like lawn grasses it will withstand regular mowing and many people find its fresh, luxuriant green foliage a pleasing sight in the lawn. It is no longer one of the component parts of our famous "Boston Park" Lawn Seed Mixture.

Breck's

VELTURF

Lb. \$1.00, 5 lbs. \$4.75

10 lbs. \$9.00, 25 lbs. \$21.00

100 lbs. \$80.00

Use one pound to 250 square feet

The finest mixture of quality grasses for the home lawn that money can buy. It is made up of fast growing varieties which will start quickly and produce a fine close lawn within a few weeks, together with such permanent grasses as Colonial Bent and Cheiving's Fescue which gradually replace the former to form a turf which will last for years, if given reasonable care. This permanent lawn will have a fine even texture of the richest green color; it will stand the severest cold of Winter and withstand the heat of Summer. **Breck's "Velturf"** is guaranteed to contain no crabgrass seed and because of the luxuriant close textured turf when established crabgrass has little chance for survival. We cannot recommend this grand grass seed mixture too highly.

Breck's

Back Yard

Lb.

59¢

5 lbs. \$2.85, 10 lbs. \$5.50

25 lbs. \$13.00, 100 lbs. \$50.00

Use one pound to 250 square feet

This mixture of grasses is planned particularly to form a sod which will stand very hard usage and still prove permanent. It will make a strong, rapid growth and the roots will strike deep into the soil, thus providing a thick, green turf which will not suffer from rapid drying out in very dry weather. An ideal mixture for playgrounds too; no Clover is included.

Breck's

Seashore

Lb.

80¢

5 lbs. \$3.80, 10 lbs. \$7.20

25 lbs. \$17.00, 100 lbs. \$64.00

Use one pound to 250 square feet

A mixture of grasses designed for use on the poor, sandy soils that are found so often near the seashore. The grasses that have been included have been selected for their deep rooting qualities, their resistance to salt spray and for their ability to withstand drought. This mixture must not be expected to grow in clear sand but it will thrive under conditions too severe for other grass seed mixtures.



INSTRUCTIONS ON LAWN BUILDING AND MAINTENANCE

A handy pamphlet—complete in detail and full of helpful suggestions—will be found in each and every package or bag of

BRECK'S LAWN SEED MIXTURES

VEGETABLE PLANTING CHART

In order to simplify the planning of your garden and so that you may have your seed requirements on hand in good season, we have prepared the following vegetable planting table. The dates given must by necessity be approximate for weather conditions vary so from year to year that hard and fast rules in regard to times of planting are impossible. However, unless the season is unusually late they may be followed with reasonable assurance of safety. Our estimates on the number of plants or the length of row that an ounce or a pound of seed will produce, are moderate. In many cases many more plants will result and if great care is taken in handling, the seed will sow a row longer than that specified. ● In spite of variations such as are mentioned above we believe that you will find this chart helpful.

Vegetable	Time to Plant			What May Be Expected		Planting Measurements		
	Indoor Sowing	Seed May Be Sown Outdoors		From 1 oz. of Seed	From 1 lb. of Seed	Distance Between Rows	Distance Between Plants	Depth to Plant Seed
		From	To					
Asparagus		April 1	.....	500 plants	.....	3 feet	15 inches	½ inch
Green Bush.....		May 1	August 1	.....	50 feet	2½ feet	2 inches	½ inch
Wax Bush.....		May 1	August 1	.....	50 feet	2½ feet	2 inches	½ inch
Dwarf Shell.....		May 1	June 20	.....	50 feet	2½ feet	4 inches	½ inch
Beans { Bush Lima.....		May 15	June 20	.....	50 feet	2½ feet	4 inches	½ inch
Broad.....		April 20	June 1	.....	50 feet	3 feet	4 inches	1 inch
Pole Lima.....		May 15	June 10	.....	75 hills	4 feet	2 feet	1 inch
Pole.....		May 1	July 5	.....	200 hills	4 feet	2 feet	½ inch
Soy (Soja).....		May 1	June 1	.....	50 feet	2½ feet	2 inches	½ inch
Beet		April 20	July 25	50 feet	.....	1½ feet	2 inches	½ inch
Broccoli	March 15	April 20	June 1	2000 plants	.....	2½ feet	1½ feet	¼ inch
Brussels Sprouts	March 15	April 20	May 20	2000 plants	.....	2½ feet	1½ feet	¼ inch
Early.....	March 15	April 20	July 10	2000 plants	.....	2½ feet	1½ feet	¼ inch
Cabbage { Late.....		May 1	June 1	2000 plants	.....	2½ feet	2 feet	¼ inch
Chinese.....	April 1	July 1	July 20	5000 plants	.....	2½ feet	1½ feet	¼ inch
Carrot		April 20	August 1	100 feet	.....	1½ feet	2 inches	¼ inch
Cauliflower	March 15	May 1	June 15	2000 plants	.....	2½ feet	1½ feet	¼ inch
Celeriac	March 1	May 1	July 1	3000 plants	.....	2½ feet	6 inches	1/16 inch
Celery	March 1	April 20	May 20	3000 plants	.....	2½ feet	8 inches	1/16 inch
Chervil		April 20	August 1	100 feet	.....	1½ feet	2 inches	¼ inch
Chicory		May 15	July 1	100 feet	.....	2 feet	6 inches	¼ inch
Chives		April 20	July 1	200 feet	.....	1½ feet	12 inches	¼ inch
Corn { Early.....		May 1	July 1	.....	200 feet	3 feet	12 inches	1 inch
Late.....		May 1	June 15	.....	200 feet	3 feet	12 inches	1 inch
Corn Salad		April 20	August 15	150 feet	.....	1 foot	3 inches	½ inch
Cress		April 20	August 15	100 feet	.....	1 foot	1 inch	¼ inch
Cucumber		June 1	July 1	60 hills	.....	4 feet	4 feet	½ inch
Dandelion		May 1	June 30	200 feet	.....	1½ feet	6 inches	¼ inch
Eggplant	March 25	.....	.....	1000 plants	.....	4 feet	3 feet	½ inch
Endive		April 20	August 1	3000 plants	.....	1½ feet	12 inches	¼ inch
Florence Fennel		June 1	July 1	100 feet	.....	2 feet	6 inches	¼ inch
Kale		May 15	July 1	2000 plants	.....	2 feet	1½ feet	¼ inch
Kohlrabi		April 20	August 1	150 feet	.....	2 feet	4 inches	½ inch
Leeks	March 1	April 1	June 1	100 feet	.....	1½ feet	4 inches	¼ inch
Lettuce	March 15	April 1	August 15	3000 plants	.....	2 feet	12 inches	¼ inch
Mangel Wurzel		April 20	June 1	50 feet	.....	2 feet	10 inches	½ inch
Melon		June 1	July 1	60 hills	.....	4 feet	4 feet	½ inch
Mustard		April 20	August 15	100 feet	.....	1½ feet	6 inches	¼ inch
Okra		May 15	June 25	250 plants	.....	2½ feet	15 inches	½ inch
Onion	March 1	April 1	May 15	100 feet	.....	1 foot	2 inches	½ inch
Parsley		April 20	June 25	150 feet	.....	1½ feet	2 inches	¼ inch
Parsnip		April 20	June 15	100 feet	.....	1½ feet	3 inches	½ inch
Peas		April 1	June 1	.....	50 feet	3 feet	1 inch	1 inch
Pepper	April 1	May 15	June 1	2000 plants	.....	3 feet	1½ feet	¼ inch
Pumpkin		May 15	July 15	30 hills	.....	5 feet	5 feet	1 inch
Radish		April 20	Sept. 15	50 feet	.....	1 foot	1 inch	½ inch
Rhubarb		April 20	May 15	100 feet	.....	3 feet	3 feet	½ inch
Salsify		April 20	May 20	75 feet	.....	1½ feet	2 inches	½ inch
Spinach		April 1	August 15	50 feet	.....	1½ feet	1 inch	½ inch
Spinach, New Zealand		May 1	July 1	250 plants	.....	2 feet	2 feet	½ inch
Squash { Summer.....		May 1	July 1	50 hills	.....	4 feet	4 feet	½ inch
Winter.....		May 1	June 1	15 hills	.....	7 feet	7 feet	½ inch
Swiss Chard		April 20	July 25	75 feet	.....	1½ feet	6 inches	½ inch
Tomato	April 1	May 1	June 1	1500 plants	.....	4 feet	3 feet	¼ inch
Turnip { Early.....		April 1	August 20	150 feet	.....	1½ feet	3 inches	⅛ inch
Ruta-baga.....		April 1	June 15	150 feet	.....	2 feet	6 inches	¼ inch
Watermelon		June 1	June 15	30 hills	.....	8 feet	8 feet	1 inch

Breck's VEGETABLE SEEDS

Underlined items are those which we particularly recommend

ASPARAGUS

Asparagus is a hardy perennial plant which will bear a satisfactory crop over a 20-year period if the bed is properly established and cared for. We recommend the purchase of ASPARAGUS ROOTS (offered below) rather than seeds for the fussy work of starting, transplanting and selection are thus eliminated and above all, a crop may be harvested at least 2 years earlier.

If seed is used sow it thinly in drills, in the early Spring and cover to a depth of only $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. The resulting plants should be thinned out to stand at least 6 inches apart and when a year old transplant them to carefully prepared and heavily enriched beds.

1 ounce of seed will sow about 60 feet of drill

5015 Mary Washington. This variety was developed by U. S. Department of Agriculture and since its introduction it has been the most popular variety in cultivation, primarily because of its immunity to rust. The stalks are dark green with purplish tips. Very large, straight, and of superb quality.

Pkt. 15c., oz. 50c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50

ASPARAGUS ROOTS

As this catalog goes to press we cannot be assured of our usual supply of roots of this most important vegetable crop, due to the farm labor shortage in the regular growing areas.

It may be possible that the present difficulties will be overcome to some extent, before the planting season but in any case our customers may be certain that arrangements are already under way to guard against a similar disappointment next year.

Breck's Collection of Vegetable Seeds for

1944 VICTORY GARDENS

This collection of always-popular vegetables represents the basis for a well-balanced Victory Garden. Cultural directions are printed on each vegetable packet. A suggestive garden plan is packed with every collection.

- $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. **BEANS, BUSH—Bountiful**
- 1 pkt. BEANS, POLE—Kentucky Wonder**
- 1 pkt. ($\frac{1}{2}$ oz.) BEETS—Breck's Beats All**
- 1 pkt. BROCCOLI—Italian Sprouting**
- 1 pkt. CARROTS—Chantenay**
- 1 pkt. LETTUCE—Big Boston**
- 1 pkt. RADISH—Scarlet Globe**
- 1 pkt. SWISS CHARD—Dark Green Curled**
- 1 pkt. TOMATO—Bonny Best**

All for \$1.00

A \$1.35 VALUE FOR \$1.00 POSTPAID ANYWHERE

Corn is not included in the above collection, but for our "ALL SUMMER LONG" collection of Sweet Corn, see page 12

BEANS

Time to Plant—Seed of most BUSH BEANS may be sown about May 1 with later plantings until about August 1; DWARF SHELL BEANS from May 1 to about June 20 and POLE SNAP BEANS from May 1 to July 5. LIMA BEANS should not be planted before May 15 with later plantings of the Bush varieties until about June 20 and until about June 10 with the Pole varieties.

Planting—Plant BUSH BEANS in rows about $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet apart and cover the seed to a depth of about $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. POLE BEANS should be planted in hills with a stout pole, 6 feet or more long in the center of each hill. These hills should be arranged in rows and spaced about 2 feet apart in the row. Leave about 4 feet between the rows to admit plenty of air and light. Two or three plants should be allowed to each pole.

1 pound of BUSH BEANS will sow a row of about 50 feet; 1 lb. of POLE BEANS (except Limas) will plant about 200 hills; and 1 lb. of LIMAS, about 75 hills

Green Bush Beans



5018 Keystoneian. 52 days. *Honorable Mention, 1944, A.A.S.* A fine new Bean combining the delicious tenderness of "Tendergreen" with the productivity of "Stringless Green Pod." Long, straight, round pods. Perfectly stringless. Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 45c., lb. 85c.

5020 Tendergreen. 54 days. An extremely delicious and absolutely stringless green Bean of superior quality. Prolific and one of the earliest, in light warm soils. The pods are a deep rich green, $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 in. long, perfectly round and very brittle.

$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50

5024 Stringless Green Pod. 50 days. Extra early, vigorous, and productive. Pods 5 in. long, round, deep green in color and perfectly stringless. Quality excellent.

$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00

5028 Bountiful. 49 days. Without question this is the most widely planted and most popular green Bean today. It is a prolific and continuous cropper, producing long, flat, rich green, meaty pods of uniform length.

$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00

5036 Plentiful. 52 days. A very promising new variety. Flat-podded, green and very productive. The plants are rust-resistant. This delicious snap Bean was awarded a bronze medal in the 1938 All America Selections.

$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00

5039 Streamliner. (White Seeded Bountiful) 50 days. An extremely prolific, early and attractive flat-podded bean of superb quality. Perfectly stringless and tender over a long period.

$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50

5041 Stringless Black Valentine. 52 days. A semi-round, early productive and stringless Bean with slightly curved pods. A great improvement over the old black Valentine variety from which this strain has been developed.

$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00

5052 Low's Champion (Red Cranberry). $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00

5056 Late Refugee (1000-to-1). 70 days. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00

BEWARE OF THE MEXICAN BEAN BEETLE

A serious menace but one which maybe eliminated easily by dusting the plants with Rotosyn Rotenone Dust. This powder is absolutely harmless to humans but deadly to the Bean beetles. Very easily applied.

Not prepaid, lb. 30c., 5 lbs. \$1.00

Not mailable, 25 lbs. \$4.50



5028 Bountiful Bean

All Vegetable Seed Prices in this catalog are at or below the OPA ceiling prices established November 29th and effective December 4th.

SOYBEANS (Soja Beans)

Sow the seeds in the open ground during May, after having prepared the soil by thorough digging and fertilizing. Inoculate with Legume-Aid before sowing. (See page 69.)

Plant in drills spaced about $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet apart and cover to a depth of about $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.

5059 Bansei. 90 days. Erect, 3 to 4 foot plants; very prolific and well adapted to growing in New England. The beans have a mild and pleasing flavor. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00



5068 Pencil Pod Black Wax

Wax-Podded Bush Beans

5062 Golden Wax, Improved Rustproof. 48 days. The most popular variety for home garden. A Bean of outstanding merit. Rust-resistant and stringless, with long, flat pods of the finest quality and flavor. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50

5064 Sure Crop Wax (Golden Bountiful). 53 days. A popular variety bearing 5 to 6 inch, thick-flat, stringless pods of bright buttery yellow; very prolific. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00

5068 Pencil-Pod Black Wax. 54 days. A fine, early and productive Bean with round, neat, stringless pods 6 to 7 in. long. Color bright yellow. Quality of the best. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50



5115 Fordhook Bush Lima

Dwarf Shell Beans

5086 French's Horticultural (Breck's Tewksbury Strain). 65 days. An extremely handsome and prolific Bean of the finest quality. Plants erect with a tendency to throw out short runners. The pods, averaging 7 to 8 in. long, are splashed with vivid crimson. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00

5096 Red Kidney. 95 days. An excellent Shell Bean. Grown largely for use as a dried Bean, and especially recommended for baking. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 20c., lb. 35c., 5 lbs. \$1.60, 10 lbs. \$3.00

5101 Boston Pea Bean. 93 days. A very small white Bean popular for baking. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 20c., lb. 35c., 5 lbs. \$1.60, 10 lbs. \$3.00

5108 Yellow Eye Improved. 100 days. A popular baking Bean. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 20c., lb. 35c., 5 lbs. \$1.60, 10 lbs. \$3.00



5086 French's Horticultural

Bush Lima Beans

5115 Fordhook Bush. 75 days. The highest quality Bush variety with pods of good size, usually filled with four beans of light green color and melting succulence. The best Bush Lima of them all for home garden or for market. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50

5126 Henderson's Bush. 68 days. The always-popular Baby Lima. The plants are very prolific, producing small pods, but quantities of them. Recommended to those who prefer the small Beans. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60

English Broad Beans

5137 Broad Windsor (Mammoth Fava). 75 days. Large flat Beans resembling Limas; used as shell beans. The plants are erect and grow 3 feet or more high. They are hardy and should be planted about April 20. Sow the seed in rows and cover with one inch of soil. Space the rows 3 feet apart. When the plants are started, thin out to stand 4 inches apart. One pound of seed will sow a 50 foot row. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50



5041 Stringless Black Valentine

Pole Lima Beans

5201 King of the Garden. 90 days. Most delicious beans of the highest table quality, produced on plants that are both vigorous and prolific. The 6- to 7-in. pods contain light green beans of large size. Pkt. 20c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35

5207 Sieva (Small Pole Lima). 77 days. An early cropping, productive and hardy variety. Beans small and of excellent quality, somewhat like Henderson's Bush. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15

Pole Beans

5211 Kentucky Wonder (Old Homestead). 65 days. The quality and general value of this time-honored and splendid variety puts it in a class by itself. Enormously productive. Long green, irregularly shaped pods. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15

5218 Kentucky Wonder Wax. 67 days. Similar to the Green-podded Kentucky Wonder except for the fact that the pods are of a light yellow color. Fine quality. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15

5224 New Italian. 70 days. A green-podded string Bean slightly streaked with purple. An enormous cropper. The beans are of excellent quality and flavor. Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 45c., lb. 85c.

5226 Worcester Horticultural. 80 days. A mammoth form of the old-fashioned Horticultural Shell or Speckled Cranberry Bean. The best type of Horticultural Shell Bean. Pods heavy, splashed with red, about 7 in. long. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15

5233 Scarlet Runner. 90 days. Used primarily as an ornamental climber because of its bright scarlet flowers and clean healthy foliage. Pkt. 20c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35

Beets

Time to Plant—Sow quite early in the Spring (about April 20) and at intervals, from then until about July 25.

Soil Preparation—A light, rich soil is best. Do

not use fresh manure for it will cause the roots to become scabby. Old, well rotted manure well mixed with the soil is excellent; also a standard vegetable fertilizer with a high potash content.

Planting—Sow the seed thinly in rows and later thin out so that the plants will stand about 2 inches apart. Allow about 1½ feet of space between rows.

1 ounce of seed should sow a 50-foot row

5272 Crosby's Egyptian, Breck's Arlington Strain. 50 to 55 days. This strain is unequalled for its fine shape, color and quality. The roots are uniform in appearance with small tops and slender tap-roots. For table use, and therefore for growing in the home garden, we recommend it unreservedly.

Pkt. 15c., ½ oz. 30c., oz. 50c., ¼ lb. \$1.50, lb. \$4.50

5274 Early Wonder. 49 to 52 days. Has a small top and therefore is an excellent Beet for bunching. Roots somewhat top-shaped of uniform color and good quality.

Pkt. 10c., ½ oz. 20c., oz. 35c., ¼ lb. \$1.00

5279 Breck's Beats All. 60 days. Generally considered an excellent all-round early or main crop Beet for the home garden and general planting. The tops are small, upright in growth; leaves dark green, shaded with red; color uniformly deep red; flesh, a vermillion-red zoned with a slightly lighter shade of same color.

Pkt. 10c., ½ oz. 25c., oz. 40c., ¼ lb. \$1.15

5283 Harvard. 55 to 60 days. Since its introduction a few years ago this really superb quality Beet has gained tremendous popularity. Luscious when grown rapidly and picked small.

Pkt. 15c., ½ oz. 30c., oz. 50c., ¼ lb. \$1.50

5297 Detroit Dark Red. 58 days. Roots are very smooth, globular, and of a very dark red color. Tops small and reddish green. An excellent main-crop and canning Beet.

Pkt. 10c., ½ oz. 25c., oz. 40c., ¼ lb. \$1.15

5308 Beets for Greens. This variety is offered especially for the production of vitamin-rich greens rather than roots. These Beet tops are considered to be among the most tasty of Summer greens.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., ¼ lb. 75c.

SUGAR BEETS and MANGELS

5247 Breck's Mammoth Long Red. 110 days. For stock and poultry feed. This fine strain is smooth-skinned and fine-grained. Color deep red. Roots very large and oval in form.

Oz. 25c., ¼ lb. 75c., lb. \$2.20

5268 Giant Half Sugar. 90 days. Flesh white, tinged with rose.

Oz. 25c., ¼ lb. 75c., lb. \$2.20

BROCCOLI

Time to Plant—Seeds may be sown either indoors or in a coldframe as early as March 15, or from April 20 to about June 1 in the open ground.

Seed Sowing—For the early crop sow in flats or in sheltered seed beds of finely pulverized loam. Broadcast the seed thinly over the surface and cover lightly (no more than ¼ inch) with finely sifted soil.

Culture—When the resulting plants are large enough to handle, thin out or transplant so they will have ample space in which to develop, and transplant to the garden after May 1. Set the plants about 18 inches apart in rows with about 2½ feet between the rows.

1 ounce should produce 2000 plants

5319 Italian, Breck's Selected Stock. 80 days. This is a very superior strain of this extremely popular and easily grown vegetable. It first produces a large and handsome center head, which when cut, is followed by many smaller heads.

Pkt. 25c., ½ oz. 75c., oz. \$1.35, ¼ lb. \$4.00



5272 Beet Crosby's Egyptian Arlington Strain

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Time to Plant—Sow indoors or in a coldframe about March 15 or in the garden from about April 20 until May 20.

Soil—A deep, rich, well drained soil is essential. It must not be wet or sour for failure will result.

Seed Sowing—Sow in flats or in sheltered seed beds of finely pulverized loam. Broadcast the seed thinly over the surface and cover lightly (no more than ¼ inch) with finely sifted soil.

Culture—When the resulting plants are large enough to handle thin out and transplant to the garden after May 1. Set the plants about 18 inches apart in rows with about 2½ feet between the rows.

1 ounce of seed should produce about 2000 plants

5331 Long Island Mammoth. 120 days. Seed of the highest selection. Sprouts thickly set, solid, good size.

Pkt. 50c., ½ oz. \$1.50, oz. \$2.50, ¼ lb. \$7.50



5319 Broccoli—Italian



5421 Chinese Cabbage Chihili
(See page 10)

Cabbage

Time to Plant—Early Cabbage may be started indoors or in a coldframe as early as March 15 or in the garden from April 20 until about July 10. Late varieties should be sown during May.

Soil—The soil for Cabbage should be deep, rich and well drained. Wet, sour soils will only cause failure.

Seed Sowing—Sow in flats or in sheltered seed beds of finely pulverized loam. Broadcast the seed thinly over the surface and cover lightly (no more than $\frac{1}{4}$ inch) with finely sifted soil.

Culture—When the plants are large enough to handle thin out or transplant so that they will be far enough apart to develop properly. Early Cabbage may be transferred to their permanent positions in the garden from late April on. Late Cabbage for Winter use should be set out not later than July 15. In planting out set the plants 18 inches apart (late varieties 24 inches) in rows and allow $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet between rows.

1 ounce of seed should produce about 2000 plants

EARLY VARIETIES

5354 Copenhagen Market. 65 to 70 days. An excellent standard early sort. Heads medium-large, round, solid and very uniform.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 75c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.25

5357 Golden Acre. 62 days. An extra-early selection of Copenhagen Market. Plants small and compact. Heads medium size, unusually solid, and very uniform. Quality excellent.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.10, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.35

5364 Early Jersey Wakefield. 63 to 66 days. Very early. Heads cone-shaped, solid, and of good quality.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c., oz. 65c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.90

MAIN CROP, or LATE VARIETIES

5368 Danish Ball Head. 105 to 110 days. The most widely used and the best of the late Cabbages. Good for storage and for kraut. Heads extremely solid and almost round.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 45c., oz. 80c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.30

5379 Premium Late Flat Dutch. 110 days. Large, late, extremely flat, solid heads; good keeper and shipper.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 70c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.00

5387 Penn State Ballhead. 105 days. A selection of the Danish Ballhead developed at the Pennsylvania State College. Heads large and solid. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 95c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.80

5391 Breck's Winchester Savoy. 90 days. A carefully selected stock of mammoth size. The finest of all Cabbages for Winter storage. Large, uniformly-shaped solid heads. Fine flavor. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 95c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.80

5399 Improved American Savoy. 90 days. Large, late, crumpled-leaf. Good keeper. Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 70c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.00

CHINESE CABBAGE

Chinese Cabbage thrives best in cool weather and is therefore grown as a Fall crop. However, if an early Spring crop is desired sow the seed indoors about April 1 and transplant to the garden in late April. Otherwise sow in the open ground during early July in rows, spacing the rows about $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet apart. Cover the seed with not more than $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of soil. When the plants are 2 or 3 inches tall, thin out or transplant to about 18 inches apart.

1 ounce of seed should produce about 5000 plants

5421 Chihili. 75 days. A tall and slender variety which resembles Cos Lettuce.

The mid-ribs are large and the heads cylindrical. 14 to 18 in. in height.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 75c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.25



5354 Copenhagen Market Cabbage

Carrots

Sow the seed in the open ground just as early in the Spring as the ground is workable (about April 20) and make successive plantings at intervals until about August 1. Sow thinly in rows and cover with not over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of soil. Allow about $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet between rows. Thin out the plants to stand at least 2 inches apart.

1 ounce of seed will sow a 100-foot row

5525 Golden Beauty. 70 days. The sweetest and most delicately flavored Carrot we have ever offered. The flesh is of fine texture and color. We recommend this coreless variety unreservedly for the home garden as a Carrot of outstanding merit.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 85c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.50

5540 Breck's Danvers Half-Long, Special Strain. 75 days. Rich, dark orange in color. Fine grained. Tender and a general favorite. A dependable half-long, stump-rooted variety for home or market garden use.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 85c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.50

5546 Breck's Hutchinson. 80 days. A large and very productive Carrot. Roots 8 to 11 in. in length. Cylindrical or nearly so and abruptly stump-rooted. The color is deep orange. The most popular Carrot in New England for busheling.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 85c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.50

5550 Streamliner. 75 days. A coreless, long, tapering Carrot, with deep orange flesh, fine texture and sweet flavor. Increasingly popular for the home garden and also for market and roadside stands.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 45c., oz. 80c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.35

5556 Chantenay. 70 days. Red cored. A medium-early type similar to Danvers Half-Long, but of a slightly lighter shade of orange-red. Mature roots are thick, 5 to 6 in. long, stump-rooted and slightly tapering. The flesh is crisp and tender.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c., oz. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.60

5561 Morse's Bunching. 75 days. The roots grow about 8 in. long, are smooth, slightly stump-rooted, coreless and deep orange in color. In flavor it is sweet and the texture fine-grained. Recently introduced and highly recommended.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 45c., oz. 80c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.35

5564 Danvers Half-Long. 75 days. The common type of pointed Danvers. Deep orange roots 6 to 8 in. long, tapering to a point.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c., oz. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.60

5584 Long Orange. 85 days. A hardy, good keeping variety. About 12 in. long, pointed. Pale orange under ground. Quite green above ground. Used primarily for stock feed.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c., oz. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.60



5525 Carrot
Golden Beauty

Cauliflower

Time to Plant—Sow the seed indoors or in a coldframe about March 15 or in the garden from about May 1 to June 15.

Soil—A deep, rich, well drained soil is the ideal type for Cauliflower. Wet, sour soils are unsatisfactory.

Seed Sowing—Sow in flats or sheltered seed beds of finely pulverized loam. Broadcast the seed thinly over the surface and cover lightly (no more than $\frac{1}{4}$ inch) with finely sifted soil.

Culture—When the plants are large enough to handle thin out or transplant far enough apart so that they may develop properly. The plants may be transferred to positions in the garden from about May 1 until early July. Set them in rows with about 18 inches between plants and $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet between rows. Be sure that Cauliflower is well watered in periods of drought. Examine the plants frequently and as soon as heads develop to 3 or 4 inches in diameter either tie or break the leaves over them to exclude all possible light.

1 ounce of seed should produce about 2000 plants

5502 Breck's White Bouquet. 55 days. We believe this to be the finest Cauliflower in existence. The plants are short-stemmed with small leaves, producing medium to large close-grained snowy-white heads of superb quality. Admirable for New England growing.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.75, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$3.00

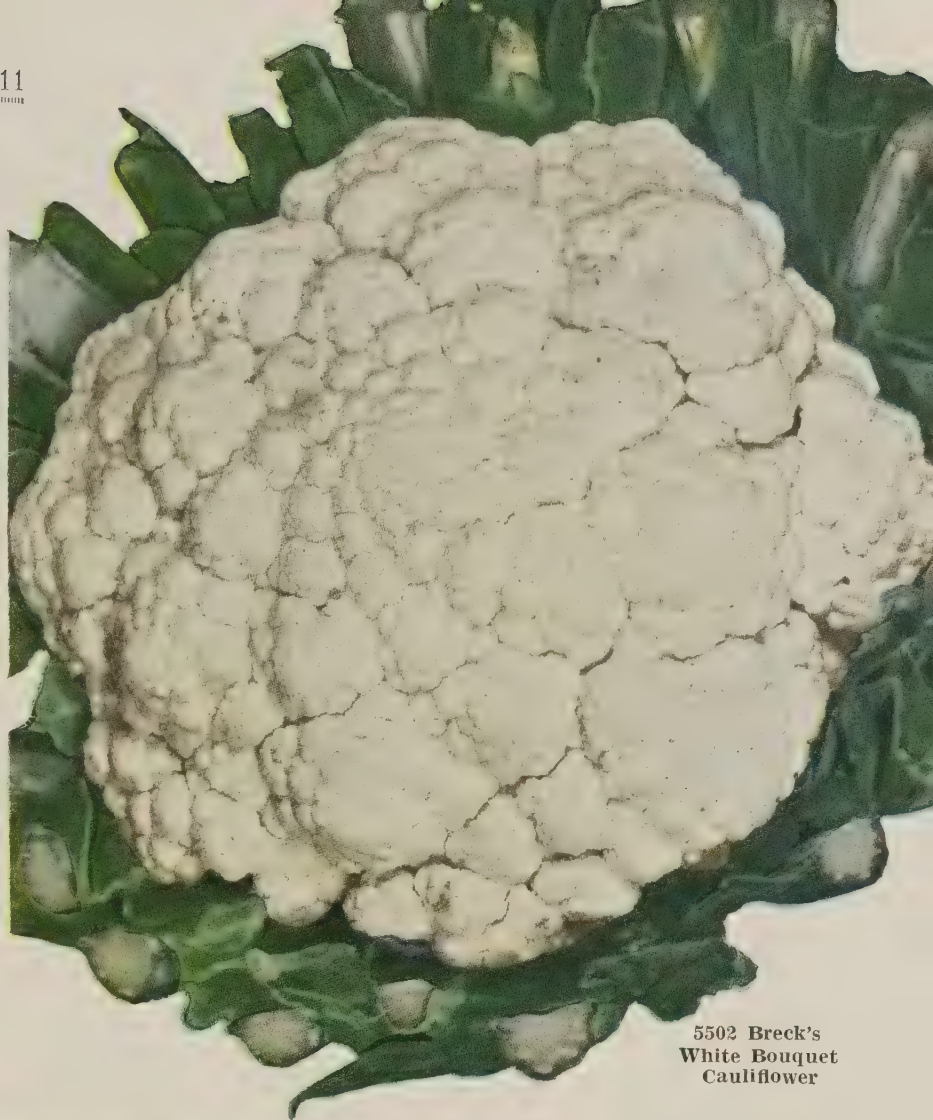
5506 Early Snowball. 55 days. A fine strain of this splendid variety. The plants are dwarf. The heads grow five to six inches and more in diameter and are smooth and compact. One of the most satisfactory varieties. Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.75, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$3.00

CELERIAC

Seed of Celeriac should be sown during May in a sheltered seed bed which has been carefully prepared. Broadcast the seed over the surface and cover very lightly (no more than $\frac{1}{8}$ inch) with finely sifted soil. As soon as the plants are large enough to handle, thin out so that they are an inch or two apart and transplant them to the open garden in June or July. Set the plants about 6 inches apart in rows and allow at least $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet between rows. The soil should be deep, fertile and well enriched.

1 ounce of seed should produce 3000 plants

5675 Large Prague. 115 days. A vegetable widely used in Europe for both soups and salads. Roots large, turnip-shaped. Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c., oz. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.75



5502 Breck's
White Bouquet
Cauliflower



5603 Easy Blanching Celery

Celery

Celery should have a deep, rich fertile soil

For the early crop seed should be sown in a greenhouse during March, in flats. The late or main crop should be sown in a coldframe or even in a sheltered seed bed out of doors, in late April or during May.

Broadcast the seed thinly over the surface of the soil and cover very lightly (no more than $\frac{1}{8}$ inch) with finely sifted soil. As soon as the plants are large enough to handle thin out so that they are an inch or two apart.

The early plants should be transplanted to permanent positions in the garden in May and the late crop in late June or July. Set the plants about 8 inches apart, in rows and allow at least $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet between rows. It should have an abundance of moisture.

1 ounce of seed should produce 3000 plants

Cropping dates of Celery are figured from the time the small plants are set out in the garden or field

5603 Breck's Easy Blanching. 110 days. A most carefully selected strain of the well-known Easy Blanching, medium tall, compact and erect; blanches to creamy white. Stalks thick, firm and crisp. Fine quality and an excellent keeper. Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 65c., oz. \$1.15, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.50

5612 Breck's Golden Self-Blanching. 115 days. Plants are compact with abundant foliage, short, thick stems and large solid hearts. The stalks which are rich in flavor, tender, crisp and brittle, may be blanched readily to a beautiful creamy white. Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 70c., oz. \$1.25, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.75

5630 Summer Pascal. 120 days. A new and early green variety of very superior quality. Plants are medium tall, with thick round stalks. As it blanches quickly, Summer Pascal crops shortly after Easy Blanching. Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$1.25, oz. \$2.25

5634 Golden Plume (Wonderful). 115 days. A very early, hardy, vigorous, full-hearted variety of excellent quality. Unexcelled for home or market growing. Stalks medium size, thick and meaty, blanching to a very beautiful creamy white. Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 70c., oz. \$1.25, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.75

5642 Giant Pascal. 135 days. The standard late Fall and Winter variety. Stalks are of medium height, thick, round, meaty and solid, with a rich nutty flavor. Blanches to a beautiful creamy white. Keeps well in storage. Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 90c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.75

5646 Celery Seed for Flavoring. Not to be used for sowing. Oz. 10c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 25c., lb. 75c.

CHICORY Seeds should be sown in deep, well prepared soil during May or June. Sow in rows and cover the seeds with not over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of soil. Leave about 2 feet between rows and when the plants are large enough to handle thin them out to stand about 6 inches apart.

In the late Fall the roots of WITLOOF CHICORY may be lifted and stored in sand in a cool cellar for forcing at intervals during the Winter or they may be left in the open ground until Spring. Then the tender shoots may be cut when they reach a length 6 to 8 inches and used as greens.

The LARGE ROOTED variety is grown in the same manner outdoors but in the Fall the roots are lifted, thoroughly dried and roasted; then ground and used as a substitute for coffee.

1 ounce of seed will sow a 100-foot row

5446 Witloof (French Endive). Used for salad purposes and as greens.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 70c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.00

5457 Large-rooted. Grown and used as a substitute for coffee.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 70c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.00

SWEET CORN

Time to Plant—Sweet Corn is a rather tender plant and therefore seed should not usually be planted until about May 1 and then only if the weather is settled and reasonably warm. Plantings may be made at intervals, from that time until about July 1 using early varieties for the later sowings.

Seed Sowing—In the home garden it is best to sow Corn in rows which should be spaced about 3 feet apart. The seed should be sown very thinly; covered to a depth of one inch and the resulting plants thinned to stand about one foot apart. In larger field plantings the usual practice is to plant in hills spaced at least 3 feet apart, each way. Four or five plants are allowed to each hill.

1 pound of Corn should plant a 200 foot row



5721 Mason's Golden Midget

5721 Mason's Golden Midget. 68 days. A really fine, super-quality, butter-yellow, Sweet Corn growing only 3 feet high. Ears just large enough to provide some real "munching" and yet midget enough to be a startling novelty when you serve the luscious garden fresh ears to your guests. Unquestionably the finest, sweetest corn you have ever tasted. Pkt. ($\frac{1}{4}$ lb.) \$1.00, 3 pkts. \$2.75

5725 Bantam Crosby. 68 days. A remarkable white midget corn that grows only 3 feet high and bears ears $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches long. The waxy-white-kernels are exceptionally sweet and of excellent quality. A fine variety for the small home garden or for greenhouse culture. Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$2.00

5726 Spancross 13x4 (Hybrid). 70 days. Very early. Six inch, medium yellow ears; well filled and of good quality. Pkt. 20c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 35c., lb. 65c., 5 lbs. \$2.95

5730 Marcross 13x6 (Hybrid). 72 days. Early. Medium-long, tapering ears filled with tender, creamy yellow kernels of rare sweetness. Pkt. 20c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 35c., lb. 65c., 5 lbs. \$2.95

5732 Breck's Golden Bantam (Selected Massachusetts grown). 75 days. Rather small ears but the plump, rich, creamy-yellow kernels are tender and delicious. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15

5734 Early Sensation. 77 days. A splendid home garden variety. Ears 6 to 8 inches long filled with tender, sweet succulent kernels. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90

5753 Golden Sunshine. 77 days. Seven inch ears, well filled with flavorful tender kernels of medium-yellow color; 10 to 14 rows. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90

5760 Carmelcross (Hybrid). 78 days. Second-early. Large, 8 inch ears, well filled with medium-yellow kernels of good flavor and quality. Pkt. 20c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 35c., lb. 65c., 5 lbs. \$2.95

5764 Tendergold (Hybrid). 80 days. A variety of the highest quality; 7 to 8 inch, medium-yellow ears. Flavor excellent. Pkt. 20c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 35c., lb. 60c., 5 lbs. \$2.85

5768 Early Crosby. 83 days. The standard early white variety. Ears 6 to 7 inches. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90

5770 Lincoln (Hybrid). 84 days. Bronze medal 1941 A.A.S. Wilt resistant. Medium sized ears, well filled with luscious golden kernels of the highest quality. Pkt. 20c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 35c., lb. 65c., 5 lbs. \$2.95

5771 Golden Giant. 84 days. Fine, large, 8 inch ears, with 14 to 16 rows of rich yellow kernels of excellent flavor. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90

5781 Black Mexican. 87 days. An exceptionally sweet, tender corn. Ears medium sized, kernels white turning black at maturity. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90

5787 Golden Cross Bantam (Hybrid). 88 days. A corn of great merit. Eight inch ears of exceptional quality and flavor; 10 to 14 rowed. Very uniform. Pkt. 20c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 35c., lb. 65c., 5 lbs. \$2.95

5802 Country Gentleman (Shoe Peg). 97 days. Medium ears densely packed with irregular rows of slender, white kernels. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90

5807 Stowell's Evergreen. 99 days. Splendid late white variety for the home garden. Ears large, kernels clear white, sweet and tender. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90

58194 All Summer Long CORN COLLECTION

Spancross Carmelcross **Lincoln Golden Cross Bantam**

Here is a collection—a modern collection—that is unbeatable. By planting all four varieties about May 1 you will get your first succession crop. Then about 4 weeks later make another planting. By following this plan you will have sweet corn all season long.

4 **PACKETS** ($\frac{1}{4}$ lb. each)
an 80 cent value. **65c.**
Postpaid for



5787
Golden Cross Bantam

Cucumbers

Time to Plant—Do not sow outdoors until the weather has become settled and warm, during June.

Soil Preparation—Cucumbers prefer a rich porous soil and we suggest digging in a generous shovelful of well rotted manure when preparing each hill.

Planting—Sow in hills (7 or 8 seeds to each hill) spaced about 4 feet apart in each direction. Cover with not more than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of soil. When the plants are 2 or 3 inches high thin out to leave only 3 or 4 plants to each hill.

An abundance of moisture is all ways needed.

One ounce of seed should plant about 60 hills

5834 Breck's Forcing White Spine, Belleville Strain. 60 days. An especially fine strain for both greenhouse and outdoor growing. Eight-inch fruits. Pkt. 50c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$1.00

5839 Farquhar's Perfection. 60 days. A superior strain of locally-grown White Spine. Fruits large and of a rich, dark green color. Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 65c., oz. \$1.15, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.50



5845 Cubit. 68 days. *Bronze Medal, 1944, A.A.S.* A handsome, dark green, white spined variety with firm white flesh. The fruits are long, cylindrical in form and it is highly recommended for the home garden.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 70c., oz. \$1.25

5849 Davis Perfect. 68 days. A very fine dark-green type of White Spine, producing a heavy crop of smooth fruits; 8 in. long, of splendid quality. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00

5856 Arlington White Spine. 60 days. An extra selection out of Improved White Spine, producing Cucumbers of surprisingly uniform size and color. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00

5866 Long Green Improved. 69 days. Late. Fruits 12 in. long, green, and tender. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00

5872 Straight-8. 68 days. A very superior White Spine variety, with straight cylindrical fruits, remarkable for their uniform 8-inch length and $1\frac{3}{4}$ to 2 in. girth. The "Cukes" are a rich deep green color. Pkt. 10c., oz. 40c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.15

5883 West India Gherkin. 60 days. Small, oval, spiny fruit about two inches long and one inch in diameter. The young fruits are used for pickles. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

5884 Boston Pickling. 58 days. Very productive. Fruits short, bright-green and very best type. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

DANDELION

1 ounce of seed will sow a 200 feet row

5916 American Improved. 90 days. Large, fleshy, tender leaves. Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.00

ENDIVE

Sow in rows in the early Spring (about April 20) and from that time until about May 15. An Autumn crop may also be sown in early August. Cover the seed with no more than $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of soil.

When the plants are large enough to handle thin them out or transplant to stand about one foot apart. Allow at least $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet between rows.

1 ounce of seed should produce about 3000 plants

5931 Full Heart Batavian (Escarolle). 85 days. An earlier and more uniform strain of the old Broad Leaved Batavian. Large, broad, slightly curled leaves forming very compact heads.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 30c., oz. 50c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50

5938 Green Curled. 90 days. Suitable for Autumn and Winter. Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 30c., oz. 50c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50

KALE

The seed should be sown not earlier than May 15 and from then until about July 1, in a sheltered seed bed and covered to a depth of not over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch. When the plants are large enough to handle easily, transplant them to the open garden, placing them 18 inches apart in rows, with at least 2 feet between rows.

1 ounce of seed will produce about 2000 plants

5970 Dwarf Green Curled Scotch. 85 days. Leaves bright green, closely curled, very tender. Quality is improved if the plants are touched by frost before being used.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 30c., oz. 50c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50

5974 Siberian or Winter. 65 days. Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 30c., oz. 50c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50

KOHLRABI

1 ounce will sow a row of about 150 feet

5956 Early White Vienna. 55 days. A very early variety. Tops small; outer color greenish white. Flesh quite free from fiber and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.00



5839
Farquhar's Perfection



6014 Leek

LEEKS

When large exhibition Leeks are desired the seed may be sown in the greenhouse about March 1 but ordinarily seed is sown in the open garden soon after April 1. Sow the seed thinly in rows and cover with not over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of soil. Allow at least 18 inches between rows. When the plants are large enough to handle thin out or transplant to stand at least 4 inches apart. A rich well-manured soil is essential.

1 ounce of seed will sow a row of 100 feet

6014 Large American Flag. 150 days. Hardy, vigorous and an excellent Winter sort. Bulbs long and very uniform.

Pkt. 50c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$1.10, oz. \$2.00

6016 Musselburgh (Carentan). 150 days. The famous Scotch sort. Large, hardy, and distinct.

Pkt. 50c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. \$1.10, oz. \$2.00

EGG PLANTS

Eggplant is one of the most tender vegetables and cannot stand outdoor conditions during early Spring. The seeds should be sown about the end of March in a greenhouse or hotbed. Broadcast the seeds over the surface of flats filled with well pulverized soil of good quality and cover with no more than $\frac{1}{8}$ inch of finely sifted loam. As soon as the seedlings are large enough to handle thin out or transplant so that they stand 6 to 8 inches apart. When outdoor conditions become settled and warm (from about June 5 to 15) the plants should be set in the garden spaced about 3 feet apart. Cropping dates, figured from time plants are set out in the garden.

1 ounce of seed should produce 1000 plants

5905 Extra Early Long Purple. 75 days. Long slender fruits of deep dark bluish purple produced freely.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 45c., oz. 75c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.25

5907 Black Beauty. 80 days. Handsome large fruits of a deep purplish black color; globular or blunt egg form. Four to six fruits borne on 24-inch, erect plants.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 45c., oz. 75c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.25

5909 New Hampshire Hybrid. 68 days. Early and very prolific, insuring a satisfactory crop where older varieties fail to develop. The beautiful deep purple fruits are slightly oval and medium in size.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 85c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.50



5907
Black
Beauty

Lettuce

Time to Sow—If a very early crop is desired, seed may be sown about March 15 indoors in flats or in a coldframe; outdoors sowings may be made as early as April 1 and successively until about June 1. As Lettuce prefers cool growing weather it is best to discontinue sowings during the hot Summer months except for certain varieties. A Fall crop may be sown from August 1 to August 15.

Soil—Indoor sowings should be made in finely prepared loam. Any well-drained and enriched garden soil will suffice for outdoor plantings.

Planting—Sow the seeds outdoors in rows 2 feet apart and cover with not over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of soil. When the plants are large enough to handle thin out and use or transplant to other rows, allowing 1 foot between plants.

1 ounce of seed should produce about 3000 plants

6025 May King, Breck's Strain. 63 days. A very carefully selected strain of this exceptionally fine variety. The plants are of medium size with a few light green outer leaves slightly tinged brown. Of the butterhead type with tightly folded heart of a beautifully light creamy yellow color. Unsurpassed as an early outdoor sort.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 45c., oz. 75c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.25

6043 Breck's Black-Seeded Tennis Ball (Salamander). 70 days. Ideal as an early sort. Heads very solid, of medium size, compact; leaves broad, dark green; quality excellent.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 30c., oz. 50c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50

6047 Breck's Boston Market. 68 days. An improved strain of White-seeded Tennis Ball. Grows very compact and forms a decidedly solid head. Good forcing sort for early Winter plantings.

Pkt. 15c.,

$\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 85c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.50

6058 Mignonette. 65 days. A variety which forms small, compact heads. The crumpled outer leaves have a bronzy cast. Excellent for the home garden. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 70c.

6083 Big Boston (Unrivalled). 76 days. A large headed Lettuce; very compact and uniform. Leaves large, pale green and with no trace of bronze; interior green tinged creamy. Very tender and sweet.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 80c.

6100 Imperial No. 847. 83 days. Medium large solid heads; outer leaves large, smooth and light green; interior very tender and crisp. A valuable home garden or local market variety.

Pkt. 10c.,

$\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 25c., oz. 40c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.35

6103 Breck's California Iceberg. 82 days. A selected strain of Los Angeles Lettuce, frequently called "Iceberg" by local market men. The slightly curled, dark green leaves form medium large heads—first pointed and at maturity globular. Easily grown and a good shipper.

Pkt. 25c.,

$\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.00

6142
White
Paris Cos



6132
Lettuce
Oak Leaf ↓



6025
May King



6106 Great Lakes. 82 days.

Bronze Medal, 1944, A.A.S.

The finest Iceberg yet! Superb, crisp heads even during the hot, dry weather of midsummer. The attractive, crinkled, dark green leaves fold inward, blanching the heads to a cool, crisp whiteness.

Pkt. 25c.

6110 New York No. 12. 80 days.

Heads very large and firm, of excellent quality. Leaves crumpled, fringed, very broad, dark green.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00

6115 Grand Rapids. 45 days. A

most popular "loose-leaf" variety. Fine quality. Used extensively for forcing, but admirable for outdoor growing.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 80c.

6129 Black-seeded Simpson. About 43 days. One of the very finest and most reliable "loose-leaf" types with light green crumpled leaves of superior quality.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 80c.

6132 Oak Leaf. 53 days. This unique variety is more delicate in texture and flavor than any semi-head or loose-leaf lettuce we know. It is unbelievably decorative and measures up high—very high—in quality.

An easy-to-grow, sure-fire kind for Spring, Summer and Autumn growing; especially in Summer when heading varieties just won't head.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

6140 Matchless. 65 days. Medium-large, dark green, loose leaf lettuce with distinctive foliage, similar in texture to the "Cos" varieties but more delicate and of finer flavor. An excellent hot weather variety.

Pkt. 25c.

6142 White Paris Cos (Romaine). 70 days. Compact, erect plants of delicious crispness and flavor. Early.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 80c.

MUSHROOM SPAWN

Pamphlet giving concise cultural notes may be had on application.

We can supply fresh Mushroom Spawn throughout the year.

Standard Mushroom Spawn. Prepaid, per brick 40c., 20 bricks \$6.50, 100 bricks \$30.00.

MUSTARD

Successive sowings may be made every 2 or 3 weeks during the cool weather of Spring and Fall starting about April 20. Sow thinly in rows and cover the seed with not over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch. Allow $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet between rows.

1 ounce of seed will plant about 100 feet

6162 Southern Giant Curled. 35 days. Leaves large, light green, and crumpled.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c.

6164 Chinese (Large Smooth Leaf). 35 days. Very large leaves; tender and mild.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c.

Melons

Time to Sow—The seed should not be sown outdoors until the weather becomes warm in June but they can be started indoors about May 10 and planted in the garden in June.

Soil—Finely prepared loam is best for indoor starting. The garden soil should be generously manured and preferably light.

Planting—Melons should be grown in hills spaced about 4 feet apart each way. Plant 5 to 10 seeds in each hill and cover with not over $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of soil. When the plants are well started thin out so that the strongest 3 or 4 remain in each hill.

1 ounce of seed will plant 60 hills

6183 Golden Champlain. 85 days. Considered by Melon growers of long experience to be the most desirable early-maturing Muskmelon. A rapid, vigorous grower of medium size with salmon flesh of superb quality; rind well netted. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c.

6196 Bender's Surprise. 90 days. An outstanding medium-large Muskmelon adapted to Massachusetts. Slightly oblong in shape, deeply ribbed, and heavily netted. Flesh thick, solid, juicy, very deep salmon of excellent flavor. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

6219 Delicious. 85 days. Believed to be the largest early variety in cultivation. Weight averages over 5 lbs. When ripe, color is creamy yellow with fine netting. Flesh is deep orange, sweet and firm. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00

6224 Rocky Ford (Netted Gem). 87 days. A Melon of delicate flavor with light green, sweet flesh and rich aromatic flavor. An always popular variety. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c.

WATERMELONS

Time to Sow—Outdoors after the weather has become settled and warm (during June).

Soil—Light, well-drained soil that has been thoroughly manured.

Planting—Melons should be sown in hills spaced about 8 feet apart, each way. Sow 5 to 10 seeds in each hill and cover with not more than one inch of soil. When well started thin out so that 3 or 4 of the strongest plants remain in each hill.

1 ounce of seed will plant about 30 hills

6284 Harris' Earliest. 75 days. Standard sort for New England. Bright red flesh, sweet and tender. Pkt. 10c., oz. 20c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 50c.

6288 Citron. 90 days. For preserving. Pkt. 10c., oz. 20c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 50c.

OKRA, or GUMBO

Okra will thrive in any reasonably good garden soil. Sow the seed very thinly in rows, from about May 15 to June 25. Cover to a depth of not over $\frac{1}{2}$ inch and allow about 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet between rows. When the plants are large enough to handle they should be thinned out to stand at least 15 inches apart. Keep the soil well cultivated throughout the growing season.

1 ounce of seed should produce about 250 plants

6392 Tall Green (Perkin's Mammoth). 62 to 67 days. Plants 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 4 feet tall; very productive. Pods long, slender, fleshy and of excellent quality. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 65c.

6403 Dwarf Green. 50 to 55 days. Plants erect, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 feet tall. Early and productive. Long green pods of good quality. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 65c.

THE FINEST ONION FOR WINTER STORAGE



6299 Yellow Globe
Danvers Onion



6337 White Portugal Onion

Onions

Time to Sow—Out doors, from April 1 to May 15. It is also possible to start seed indoors or in a coldframe in March, to be transplanted to the garden in April.

Soil—A deep rich loam well-drained and generously fertilized.

Planting—Sow the seed in rows 1 foot apart and cover with not more than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of soil. When plants are large enough to handle thin out to 2 inches apart.

1 ounce of seed will plant about 100 ft.

YELLOW VARIETIES

6299 Breck's Yellow Globe Danvers. 105 days. Our stock of seed has been developed by a Massachusetts Onion seed-grower who has had a lifetime of experience in selecting Onion bulbs, thus furnishing us with the best type obtainable. Uniform in size, solid, of a rich coppery yellow color, producing a marketable crop of superior quality, yield, and appearance. The best variety for Winter storage.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 55c., oz. 95c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.85

6304 Sweet Spanish. 110 days. Mild-flavored, globe-shaped, light yellow Onion of Spanish origin that grows to large size.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

6308 Ailsa Craig. 105 days. A variety that will grow to enormous size. Globular; skin light yellow; flesh white. Good keeper. Grown largely for exhibition purposes.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

6313 Prizetaker (Denia). 105 days. Bulbs globular, very large, light straw color and very mild.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.10

WHITE VARIETIES

6324 Southport White Globe. 112 days. Similar to Southport Yellow Globe except that it is decidedly white.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 85c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.50

6327 Bermuda Crystal Wax. 90 days. A flat, juicy and very mild Onion. The bulbs are of medium size and crystal white in color. An excellent home garden sort.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 85c., oz. \$1.50, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$4.50-

6337 White Portugal. 100 days. Medium sized, flat, mild flavor. Excellent all-purpose white variety.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.10

RED VARIETIES

6359 Red Wethersfield. 100 days. Bulbs semi-flat, large, deep purplish red, solid and an excellent keeper.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 45c., oz. 75c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.25

6364 Southport Red Globe. 113 days. An excellent, elongated globe sort of Red Onion.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 55c., oz. 95c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.85

BUNCHING ONION SEED—SCALLIONS

6379 Prosperity. An excellent variety which does not form bulbs but produces the long, straight stalks, referred to as scallions. The lower 5 inches is white and mild, particularly fine for salads, soups and table use. These can be sown at any time, from early Spring to mid-August and will grow until the ground freezes. Successive sowings will provide delicate scallions all season long.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 85c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.50.

ONION SETS

These are planted for very early Onions. They mature about a month earlier than those started from seed and may also be pulled and used like Scallions, in four or five weeks time. Plant about 3 inches apart and 1 inch deep in rows, leaving 1 foot between rows.

1 lb. should plant a 50 foot row

Yellow Globe (Ebenezer). The sets have light golden-brown skins and pure white flesh, producing perfectly round Onions, sweet in flavor and exceptionally mild.

Postpaid, lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00

White Globe. These sets produce pure white, almost round Onions of fine quality.

Postpaid, lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50

Peppers

Time to Plant—For an early crop the seed may be sown either in the house or in a coldframe in early April. However, seed sown from May 15 to June 1 in the open ground will produce a crop in late Summer.

Seed Sowing—Sow the seeds thinly in flats or in a coldframe in light pulverized soil. Cover them with not over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of soil.

Soil Preparation—Any reasonably good, well cultivated garden soil, preferably ground that has been manured the previous year. Soil too rich in nitrogen will tend toward the production of foliage rather than fruit.

Transplanting—Seedlings started inside, should be transplanted as soon as they are large enough to handle, into boxes or individual pots and spaced far enough apart so that each will have ample space for development. These plants should be gradually hardened off by exposure to out-of-door conditions during favorable weather, before being permanently placed in the garden, about June 1. Set the plants $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet apart in rows leaving about 3 feet between the rows.

1 ounce of seed should produce about 2000 plants

6422 Harris' Earliest. 100 days. The earliest, mild Pepper on the market. Plants very dwarf, compact and exceptionally prolific. Fruit 3 to 4 in. long, 3 in. wide at shoulder.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 85c.

6429 California Wonder. 117 days. A splendid medium-early, sweet Pepper for home garden or market growing. Fruits are large and uniform in size. Deep green and with firm, thick flesh.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

6441 King of the North. 110 days. A fine early Pepper, large and dark green in color. The flesh is medium thick, mild and sweet. Very prolific, an excellent variety for growing in this section.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c., oz. 85c.

6460 Hot Squash. 120 days. This is a medium-sized Pepper, Tomato-shaped, with thick, meaty flesh. The color of the fruit is bright green changing to brilliant scarlet as it matures. A very popular variety for pickling.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 30c., oz. 50c.

6463 Long Red Cayenne. 112 days. Long, slim tapering fruits 4 inches or more in length and about $\frac{3}{4}$ inch in diameter. Ripens early and is very prolific. The hot pungent, red fruits are in great demand for pickling purposes.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c., oz. 60c.



6429 California Wonder Pepper

PARSLEY

The seed may be sown from April 20 to about June 25 out of doors but if earlier plants are desired they should be started indoors or in a coldframe about March 15 and transferred to the open garden about May 1. The seeds germinate slowly, and care should be taken to press the soil firmly around them. Sow in rows $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet apart and cover the seed not more than $\frac{1}{4}$ inch. When large enough to handle, thin out to 2 inches apart. Any reasonably good garden soil will suffice.

1 ounce of seed will sow 150 feet

6476 Breck's Double Green Crest. 70 days. Dwarf, compact growth. Rich, dark green leaves, densely curled. The most desirable sort for exhibition or garnishing. Highly prized for garden borders, frames, or open ground.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.00

6483 Champion Moss Curled. 70 days. This variety is widely used for borders and it will prove satisfactory in every way for the home garden. Leaves beautifully curled. Extra fine for garnishing.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

6489 Plain-Leaved. 85 days. The favorite for flavoring soups and for drying because of its flat, deeply cut, but not curled dark green leaves.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.



6476 Double Green Crest Parsley

PARSNIP

Time to Plant—It is desirable to plant early in the Spring (about April 20) but seeds sown as late as June 15 will produce a crop.

Soil Preparation—As the roots penetrate to a depth of at least 15 inches, the ground should be deeply spaded and well fertilized.

Planting—In rows $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet apart, covering the seed with not over $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of soil and later thinning the plants out to stand 3 inches apart in the rows. They should be frequently cultivated throughout the season.

Harvesting—In the Fall as freezing weather approaches the roots may be dug and used, or stored. As freezing improves the flavor it is best to let them remain in the ground protecting them with a mulch so that they may be harvested at any time during the Winter or early Spring.

1 ounce of seed will sow about 100 feet

6514 Breck's Guernsey. 100 days. A superior variety for home growing, with attractive, medium-long roots. The skin is light in color and quite smooth. The flesh is fine-grained, sweet and tender.

Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 30c., oz. 50c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50

6529 Long Smooth White. 125 days. Excellent quality and a general favorite. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c.



6514 Breck's Guernsey Parsnip

Garden Peas

Time to Plant—Just as early in the Spring as the soil is workable (about April 1).

Soil Preparation—Any good garden soil which has been deeply spaded and liberally manured. Peas dislike acid soil and if such a condition exists, it should be corrected by working in lime (about 5 lbs. to each 100 square feet).

Planting—Sow in drills, allowing one inch between seeds and about 3 feet between rows. Cover the seed with about one inch of soil.

Cultivation—As soon as they begin to grow, some form of support should be provided for all but the very dwarf varieties. (Birch brush or poultry wire.) Constant cultivation will add considerably to the quality of the crop.

1 lb. of seed will sow about a 50 foot row

DWARF VARIETIES

- 6540 Mammoth Podded Extra Early.** 57 days. 36 in. An almost smooth-seeded extra early variety. Pods medium green, about 4 inches long and well filled with fine quality peas. It belongs to the hardy group that may be planted as soon as the ground can be prepared in early Spring.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60
- 6542 Laxton's Progress.** 62 days. 18 inches. Introduced from England as an Improved Laxtonian and considered by most experts as the finest early dwarf wrinkled Pea. Most productive, averaging 9 to 10 dark green peas of luscious flavor in every pod.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00
- 6553 Laxtonian.** 62 days. 18 inches. This is one of the very best dwarf wrinkled Peas. The vines are productive and vigorous, producing pods about 4 inches long and filled with delicious tender Peas.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60
- 6562 Sutton's Excelsior.** 65 days. 18 inches. An early dwarf wrinkled Pea with exceptionally large pods. It matures almost as early as Nott's Excelsior and is fully its equal in quality, producing an abundance of luscious, melting Peas.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60
- 6568 Little Marvel.** 62 days. 15 inches. A very fine early dwarf variety. The dark green pods are well-filled and the flavor is superb. Unsurpassed in quality and productiveness; an excellent home garden variety.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00



6568 Little Marvel

MEDIUM-TALL VARIETIES

- 6578 World's Record.** 60 days. 30 inches. An enormously popular, large-podded, extra-early wrinkled Pea, maturing several days earlier than the well-known Gradus. Pods are uniformly large, measuring $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 inches, nearly round and packed with handsome, wrinkled Peas of the finest flavor.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00
- 6589 Hundredfold.** 63 days. 24 inches. Similar to Pioneer in growth, but with somewhat darker foliage and pods 4 to $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches long, well-filled, with very dark green Peas. Extremely productive. Highly recommended for small home gardens.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00
- 6592 Gradus (Prosperity).** 64 days. 30 to 36 inches. A very popular early variety with large pointed pods of uniform shape. Peas of fine flavor.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60
- 6600 Thomas Laxton.** 62 days. 30 inches. This reliable Pea is similar in type to Gradus but has darker foliage and square-ended pods. Although a wrinkled sort of excellent quality, it may be planted about as early as the smooth varieties.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60
- 6620 The Miracle.** 70 days. 48 inches. A remarkably prolific variety with very large, deep green, well-filled pods containing rich green Peas of exquisite flavor.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50
- 6623 Gilbo.** 69 days. 24 to 28 inches. A hardy, wrinkled variety, very highly recommended both for the home garden and for market growing. The heavy, dark green vines bear an immense crop of deep, green pods, $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 inches long and filled with Peas of the highest quality.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60
- 6626 Montana Monarch (Wilt-resistant).** 60 days. 45 inches. An extra early Pea, fully resistant to wilt. The large, attractive, medium-green pods are borne in great abundance and are well filled with from 6 to 8 large peas of exceptional quality.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 30c., lb. 50c., 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50
- 6634 Dwarf Telephone (Daisy).** 72 days. 24 inches. Large pods filled with sweet and tender wrinkled Peas. A great cropper.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60

TALL VARIETIES

- 6644 Breck's Improved Telephone.** 75 days. 4 to 5 feet. This is a distinct and desirable improvement on ordinary Telephone, the result of careful breeding and selection. The wrinkled peas, of large size, are sugary, rich and tender. Finest quality.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60
- 6654 Alderman.** 75 days. 4 to 5 feet. An old variety of great merit, producing long, well-filled pods, packed with large, wrinkled, deep green Peas of superior quality.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c., lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60



6620
The
Miracle

INOCULATE YOUR PEAS

For Legume-aid with which all Peas should be inoculated before sowing, see Page 69.

Garden Packets are 10c., postpaid



Green Mountain Potatoes

Potatoes

Our Seed Potatoes are grown in Aroostook County, Maine. All varieties are certified as seed stock by the State of Maine Department of Agriculture.

Potatoes should be planted during April or early May. They will thrive in almost any fertile, well-drained, somewhat acid soil. Do not use lime. The soil should be plowed or deeply dug over and furrows 6 inches deep and $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 feet apart, should be made. A commercial fertilizer with high phosphorus and potash content should be thoroughly mixed with the soil at the bottom of the furrow (about 20 lbs. per 100 ft. row) and about 2 inches of unfertilized topsoil should be placed over it.

Cut each Potato into three or more pieces with at least one good eye to the piece. Treat with Semesan-Bel and plant, about 10 inches apart, in the prepared furrows. Cover with 3 or 4 inches of soil. Cultivate constantly throughout the season.

1 peck will plant about 125 foot row, 10 bushels to the acre

POTATO PRICES—DELIVERY IN APRIL ONLY

All varieties, \$4.95 per bushel, delivered within 20 miles of Boston
We do not sell less than one bushel of any one variety

Irish Cobbler. A fine and always reliable early variety, producing large, handsome and quite round tubers, surprisingly uniform in size and shape. The skin is very light brown, the flesh white, and the quality is excellent. **\$4.95 per bu.**

Chippewau. A splendid new early variety that follows Irish Cobbler in maturity. Yields a heavy crop of tubers flatter and more oval than Green Mountain with shallow eyes and smooth, clean skin. **\$4.95 per bu.**

Green Mountain. There is no finer Potato than this one. Its popularity is universal. Does well on all soils and locations, making strong, healthy vines and producing big crops of large, handsome tubers of flattish, oval form. Superb quality and a grand keeper. **\$4.95 per bu.**

Rural Russet. A selection of the well known Dibble's Russet. Strong, deep-rooted vine. Plants resist blight and drought. Tubers excellent keepers of unsurpassed quality. **\$4.95 per bu.**

Katahdin. A recently-introduced, late or main crop Potato, which matures after Green Mountain. It is medium-sized with shallow eyes, light skin, and handsome appearance. Keeps well. **\$4.95 per bu.**

Spaulding Rose. Late. Potatoes large, smooth, of excellent quality; red skin. **\$4.95 per bu.**

QUICK, EASY TREATMENT FOR POTATOES

A Semesan-Bel dip for Potatoes before planting will protect them from scab and other diseases. Healthy plants will give a much higher yield of clean Potatoes. The treatment is simple and inexpensive and the resulting benefit great.

A 2-oz. pkg. (sufficient to treat 6 bushels of Potatoes) costs only 30c.
 1-lb. can \$1.65, 5-lb. can \$7.15—all sizes, postpaid

RHUBARB

The seed may be sown from April 20 to May 15 in rows one foot apart. Cover the seed with $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of soil. When the plants are from 2 to 3 inches high they may be transplanted or thinned to stand a foot apart. The following Spring, transplant to their permanent locations. The soil should be heavily manured and deeply spaded. It cannot be too rich for Rhubarb. Set the plants about 3 feet apart each way.

1 ounce of seed will sow 100 feet

6745 Victoria. The most popular variety in this section. Vigorous growing, very productive. **Pkt. 10c., oz. 45c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.25**

Sweet Potato Plants

NANSEMOND

The best variety for New England. **Delivery, June**
Strong, Well Rooted Cuttings, \$1.00 for 50,
\$1.75 per 100, \$15.00 per 1000 postpaid

Although Sweet Potatoes are commonly associated with the South, they can be grown with relative ease and amazing success in the home gardens of New England. You can't imagine how delicious they are until you have enjoyed the products of your own efforts. After the weather has become warm, set the plants 1 foot apart in rows that have been hilled up to 6 inches above the level of the ground. They will grow rapidly, covering 8 to 10 feet with luxuriant green, viney growth. All they require is deeply prepared, well drained soil that has been treated with a fertilizer of high potash content. Try a row in the garden this year and you will never be without them again.

POP CORN (For Seed)

6669 Giant Yellow. (South American.) 100 days. The most popular variety. Large yellow ears with kernels which pop creamy yellow and to gigantic size.
 Lb. 35c., 5 lbs. \$1.60, 10 lbs. \$3.00

PUMPKINS

Sow the seed from May 15 to July 15 in hills that are spaced 5 feet apart each way. Allow from 5 to 6 seeds per hill and cover with not over one inch of soil. When the plants are large enough to handle discard all but 2 plants in each hill. Prepare the soil by thoroughly spading in about two shovelfuls of well-rotted manure to each hill.

1 ounce of seed will plant 30 hills

6700 Sweet Sugar. 115 days. The Hallowe'en Pumpkin. Small in size, deep yellow shell, slightly ribbed, with sweet, fine-grained orange flesh.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00

6722 King of the Mammoths. 120 days. This variety often weighs over 100 lbs. Excellent for stock feeding. **Pkt. 10c., oz. 50c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50**

6727 Pumpkin Seed for Medicinal Purposes.
 Oz. 15c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 35c., lb. 95c.



6700 Pumpkin Sweet Sugar

RADISHES

Sow the seed just as early in April as the ground is workable and at intervals of about 10 days until hot weather. Resume sowing again from mid-August until September 15. Any reasonably good, prepared garden soil will suffice. Plant the seeds thinly in rows, one foot apart; cover with not over $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of soil. Later thin the plants to stand 1 inch apart in the rows.

1 ounce of seed will sow about 50 feet

6764 Scarlet Globe. 24 days. One of the most delicious and attractive Radishes grown. Splendid both for forcing and for the garden. Oval to round in shape, intense scarlet in color, crisp and mild.
Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c., lb. \$2.25

6768 Saxa. 22 days. Undoubtedly the outstanding extra-early forcing Radish. Roots are round, bright scarlet, with very small tops.
Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c., lb. \$2.25

6772 French Breakfast. 25 days. A great favorite. Bright rose scarlet with white tip. Crisp, juicy, mildly pungent and tender. Fine for the home garden.
Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c., lb. \$2.25

6778 Long Scarlet Short-Top. 26 days. Attractive, bright scarlet red. Flesh is tender, juicy, crisp and of extra fine flavor. A long, slim Radish of exceptional quality.
Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c., lb. \$2.25

6794 Long Icicle. 27 days. A most desirable and decorative sort, especially popular for garnishing. The tender, juicy and delicately snappy flesh is icy white with a translucent and appetizing appearance.
Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c., lb. \$2.25

6805 White Giant Stuttgart. 35-40 days. Large, oval; mild and tender. For late Summer and Autumn use. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.00

6827 Round Black Spanish. 55-60 days. Fine for Winter.
Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 85c., lb. \$2.50

Grow Your Own Vegetables

By Paul W. Dempsey

An up-to-date book on vegetable gardening designed to meet the needs of those who are now growing their own vegetables at home. Simple and easily understandable information from one whose experience eminently qualifies him to advise. Postpaid for \$2.50

SALSIFY - Oyster Plant

The seeds may be sown from April 20 to May 20 in rows spaced $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet apart. Cover the seed with about $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of soil. When the plants are an inch or so high thin out to stand 2 inches apart in the rows. Salsify requires a soil that has been deeply spaded and well fertilized.

The roots of this vegetable have a distinct oyster-like flavor, hence the name Oyster Plant. They may be stewed, fried or boiled and are most delicious. The roots are very hardy, like Parsnips, and therefore may be left in the ground over Winter.

1 ounce of seed sows 75 feet of drill

6853 Breck's Improved Long White. Definitely one of the root crops that should be more widely grown and more widely known. Roots of medium size, long and smooth. Of excellent quality. Flesh is almost white, and of a delightful delicate flavor. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.00

SWISS CHARD

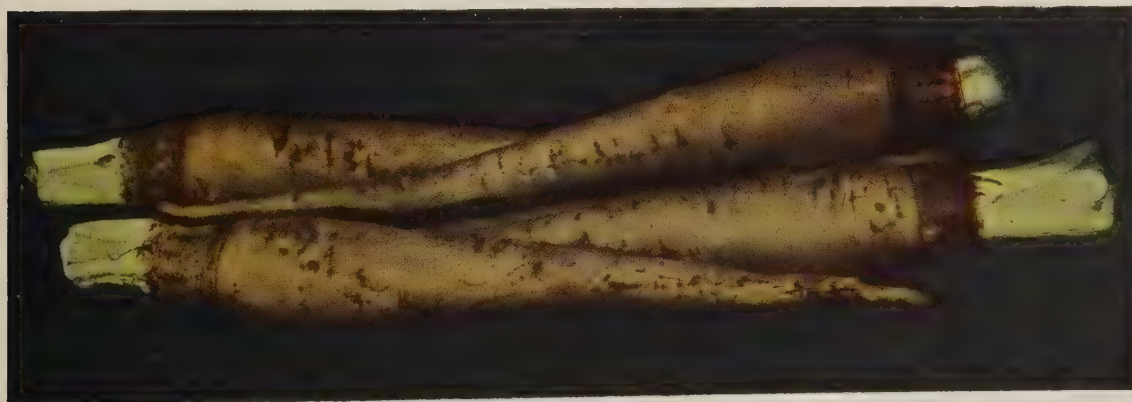
Plant quite early in the Spring (about April 20) and at intervals, from then until about July 25. A light well prepared soil enriched with old rotted manure is excellent. Sow the seed thinly in rows and cover with no more than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of soil. When the plants are about 2 inches high thin out, so that the plants stand about 6 inches apart in the rows. Allow $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet between the rows.

1 ounce of seed will sow about 75 feet

6872 Rhubarb Chard. 60 days. This new Chard has the same coloring as Rhubarb. The stalks are a bright crimson which extends up through the veins into the dark, glossy green, heavily crumpled leaves. Very ornamental making a striking color note in the garden and it has a distinctly delicate flavor of its own. Pkt. 15c.

6875 Lucullus. A robust grower, attaining a height of 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet. The stalks are thick, creamy white and heavily ribbed. Leaves are very large, green and heavily crumpled. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 80c., lb. \$2.40

6885 Dark Green Curled. Husky plants 2 feet or more high with very crumpled, rich dark green leaves and prominent white midribs. Quality excellent. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 80c., lb. \$2.40



6853 Breck's Improved Long White Salsify



6885 Swiss Chard
Dark Green Curled



7043 New Zealand Spinach

Spinach

Time to Sow—For an early crop seed should be sown just as soon as the ground can be worked (about April 1) with successive sowings up to the end of May. This crop runs quickly to seed in hot, dry weather and therefore it is best not to plant again until about August 15 when a Fall crop of Spinach can be sown which will provide greens until frost.

Soil Preparation—Spinach, to be succulent and tender must have a really rich soil, well prepared and liberally manured.

Planting—Sow the seed thinly in rows; cover with not over $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of soil and allow $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet between rows. When the plants are large enough to handle, thin out, leaving about one inch between plants.

1 ounce of seed should sow a 50-foot row

7049 King of Denmark. 48 days. Of Danish origin, and a selection from the best types of Long-standing varieties. Will remain in good condition for cutting for about two weeks after other varieties have bolted to seed. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 70c., lb. \$2.00

7061 Bloomsdale Long Standing Savoy. 45 days. Valuable for either Spring or Fall sowing and a variety that is to be recommended in every way. Quality of the best. The thick, glossy green leaves are intensely blistered and crinkled. Quick-growing. Slow to run to seed. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 70c., lb. \$2.00

7068 Nobel Giant Thick-leaved. 45 days. Makes the largest plant of any variety in cultivation with leaves slightly crumpled toward the center, and of an inviting, medium-green color. Fine flavor. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 70c., lb. \$2.00

7072 Viking. 45 days. A new selection of Long-standing Spinach with rich dark green leaves. Does not readily go to seed. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 70c., lb. \$2.00

7043 NEW ZEALAND SPINACH

A true cut-and-come-again vegetable, exceptionally valuable for Summer "greens." The plants are robust, of low spreading habit, extremely drought resistant and produce an abundance of small, thick, tender leaves. As this is not a true Spinach, the culture is somewhat different. The seeds may be sown from May 1 to July 1 and should be soaked in warm water a few hours before planting. Sow at a depth of $\frac{1}{2}$ inch and thin out to stand 2 feet apart. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 45c., oz. 75c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.25

Squash

There are two distinct types, the Summer or bush type and Winter or vine type. Both types are easy to grow, if they are planted in warm, well-drained soil that has been liberally manured or fertilized.

Time to Plant—Sow the seeds of Summer Squash from May 1 to July 1 and Winter Squash from May 1 to June 1.

Soil Preparation—Prepare the hills by spading in two or three shovelfuls of well-rotted manure to each hill. If this is not available, work in about a handful of commercial fertilizer to each hill.

Planting—It is best to sow from 6 to 8 seeds in each hill about $\frac{1}{2}$ inch deep. When these are well up, thin out, leaving only 2 or 3 of the strongest plants to grow in each hill. For Summer Squash allow about 4 feet each way between the hills and 7 feet each way for Winter varieties.

*1 ounce Summer Squash will plant about 50 hills
1 ounce Winter Squash will plant about 15 hills*

SUMMER VARIETIES

6908 Early Prolific Straightneck. 50 days. A Bush type, producing fruits of small size but in enormous quantity. Extra-early and of the finest quality. The flesh is firm and creamy yellow in color. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

6912 Giant Summer Crookneck. 55 days. Long, slim, pear-shaped fruits with curved necks and heavily warted. In the edible stage they are of a medium yellow color; the flesh is firm, juicy and creamy white. early and productive. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

6941 White Bush Scallop. (Patty Pan). 56 days. Creamy white, round, flaring bowl-shaped with scalloped edge. The flesh is somewhat greenish, tender and juicy. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

6949 Zucchini. 65 days. A fine type of the always-popular Italian Vegetable Marrow. The fruits are straight, nearly cylindrical, medium green in color, and they weigh about 3 to 4 pounds. The flesh is firm and of delicate flavor. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

WINTER VARIETIES

6954 Butternut. 85 days. The newest and finest variety among small Winter Squashes. The fruits are of a yellowish brown color and bottle-shaped. The outer shell is smooth and hard. The flesh is yellow, fine textured, dry, sweet, and of excellent flavor. There is a very small seed cavity and almost the entire fruit is clear, solid, high quality meat. A Breck introduction and one which is increasing in popularity by leaps and bounds. Pkt. 15c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$3.00

6963 Des Moines. (Table Queen). 65 days. A small Squash that enjoys enormous and well-merited popularity. It is shaped like an acorn with dark green skin and is perfect for baking. Prolific. Quality unsurpassed. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

6972 Golden Delicious. 115 days. Of medium size with deep orange shell and thick, dry orange flesh of superb flavor and texture. A good keeper. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00

6988 Delicious. 115 days. A medium-sized Autumn and Winter Squash with dark green shell and thick, fine-grained yellow flesh. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00

6996 Warren Turban. 125 days. Hard shell. Dry orange meat of superior quality. Pkt. 15c., oz. 50c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.50

7004 Blue Hubbard. 125 days. A Squash very popular in New England. Hardshelled, with thick, dry meat of fine quality. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00

7009 Golden Hubbard. 110 days. Earlier than Green Hubbard with deep orange-red skin and bright orange flesh; fine grained and sweet. Pkt. 10c., oz. 30c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 90c.

7013 Green Hubbard. 125 days. Sweet, dry, orange-yellow flesh of rich flavor. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.00



6954 Butternut Squash

Tomatoes

Time to Sow—It is best to sow indoors in flats, or in coldframes, during April, but seed sown outdoors in early May will produce fruit in September.

Planting—When sowing use a good light sifted loam and broadcast the seed thinly over the surface, cover with not more than $\frac{1}{8}$ inch of soil. When the seedlings are from 2 to 3 inches high they should be given ample space for proper growth. Either transplant or thin out so that they will be about 3 inches apart. After all danger of frost is past these plants should be hardened off, by gradual exposure to the out-of-door s, during favorable weather; transplanting them to the garden about May 20. Space the plants about 3 feet apart in the rows allowing 4 feet between rows. Closer planting is possible if the plants are to be staked.

One ounce of seed should produce about 1500 plants

7086 Bonny Best. 70 days. A splendid outdoor second-early Tomato of outstanding quality and fine appearance. Plants vigorous and most productive. Fruit medium to large. Very smooth, solid, and of uniform shape.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 70c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.00

7095 John Baer. 70 days. A very popular and most profitable variety for market growing. The fruit is nearly round, clear scarlet, and large for an early Tomato.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 70c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.00

7114 Penn State. 72 days. An early and prolific variety bearing spherical fruits of a brilliant scarlet color. The flesh is dark red with little or no core.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

"Plan to Can"

Tomatoes are the most popular item for canning in the entire Vegetable list. Start your canning of this vegetable when your Tomatoes first begin to ripen and keep going right through the season. See Page 66 for Kerr "Self Sealing" jars—both quart and pint sizes.

7129 Pritchard (Scarlet Topper). 72 days. An enormously productive, early, wilt-resistant, large, smooth Tomato. Its color is intense scarlet and the fruits are truly remarkable for their solidity, as they have small seed cavities and no core.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 70c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.00

7152 Breck's Balshire. 75 days. In a recent trial under glass some of the plants carried at least 40 pounds of fruit. We recommend it strongly, either for forcing or for outdoor culture.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.25

7178 Comet. 70 days. Splendid for forcing; very prolific.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 70c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.00

7183 Marglobe. 75 days. Wilt-resistant. Fruit scarlet, medium size, deep from stem to blossom, solid and smooth, set in clusters of 5 to 7.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c., oz. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.75

7196 Rutgers. 78 days. A splendid variety producing a heavy crop of fine quality, large, highly colored fruit on strong, vigorous vines. Rutgers is a development from Marglobe. It is highly wilt-resistant. For home canning it is unbeatable.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c., oz. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.75

7205 Stone (Matchless). 83 days. The standard late sort. Plants very vigorous, producing a heavy crop of large, solid, bright red fruits.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c., oz. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$1.75

7236 Red Ponderosa (Beefsteak). 95 days. The largest variety. Bright scarlet, smooth skin, fleshy but irregular and variable in shape.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 45c., oz. 75c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.25

7244 Jubilee. 72 days. An outstanding new orange-yellow Tomato; uniform in shape, of good quality, solid and meaty with a mild, tasty flavor. The plants are compact, short-stemmed and bear over a long season. The finest yellow Tomato you have ever eaten.

Pkt. 25c.

7246 Golden Queen. 84 days. Good size and quality; bright yellow color.

Pkt. 10c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c., oz. 70c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. \$2.60

Small-Fruiting Varieties

7253 Red Pear. 82 days. Solid, handsome fruit. Good preserving variety.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

7264 Yellow Plum. 82 days. Used for salads and pickling.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

7266 Red Plum. 82 days. Bright scarlet, almost globe-shaped. Used for preserving.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

7271 Red Cherry. 82 days. A small, early variety used for pickling.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

7285 Yellow Cherry. 82 days. Same as Red Cherry except for color.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

7292 Red Currant. 82 days. Very small. Used in preserves.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

7297 Strawberry Tomato or Winter Cherry. 90 days. (Also called "Ground Cherry".) Fruit grows in a husk. Used for preserving and sauce.

Pkt. 25c., $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

Culture Pays

A wise grower will provide support for his Tomato plants. Unsupported plants sprawl over the ground, taking up valuable garden space; also the fruit on such plants will often spoil from contact with the soil, particularly during rainy weather.

The method most economical of garden space is the training of individual plants on single stakes. A good rugged stake should be driven into the ground 3 or 4 inches from each plant. The stake should be long enough so that it stands 5 feet above the ground after being firmly planted. We recommend our Jumbo Tomato Supports (See our list of Garden Tools and Requisites starting on page 65.) As soon as the plants begin to branch, snip off all side shoots and tie up the main stem to the stake. Use soft jute twine or strips of strong cloth and tie loosely so that the plant will not be injured. As the plants grow continue to tie up the main stem and to remove all side branches until they reach the tops of the stakes. Tomatoes so grown will produce earlier, cleaner and more perfect fruit because of their exposure to sunlight and air.

Another and more popular way of handling Tomatoes is to set a specially designed Tomato Support over each plant. These supports are catalogued and illustrated in our list of Garden Tools and Requisites which starts on page 65. The only training necessary is to keep the plants from growing under or between hoops until they are tall enough to hang over the top. From then on they will be supported perfectly and the fruit will be held well above the ground.

Breck's BELMONT

7080 (75 days)—Medium to small fruits of brilliant crimson color with no acidity, no core, and but few seeds.

Belmont has a quality, a flavor and an appearance all its own, and it is often taken for hot-house grown fruit when offered for sale. It is best grown as a trellis variety or on poles, but when field-grown without support, it produces abundantly. We consider this a superlative variety, perhaps a little too small for economical home canning, but ideal in every way for table use. Grow Belmont. You will like it very much.

Pkt. \$0.25
 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.65
 Oz. 1.25



Turnips and

Turnips are easy to grow. They will thrive in the Spring or Fall but will not do well during the heat of Summer. Seeds may be sown as early as the ground is workable (about April 1) with successive sowings until May 15. The Fall crop should be sown in August. Any reasonably good garden soil will suffice.

Sow in rows, 1½ feet apart and cover the seed with not over ½ inch of soil. When the plants are about 3 inches high, thin them out to stand 3 inches apart. *These tender vitamin-rich plants should not be discarded, they make delicious greens.*

1 ounce of seed should sow a 150-foot row

7314 Early Snowball. 42 days. Very fine first-early variety, producing a small, globe-shaped root, free of all coarseness, and pure white. Recommended to the home gardener because of its superior quality.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 20c., ¼ lb. 50c.

7335 Purple-Top White Globe. 58 days. Round, handsome, of superior quality.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 20c., ¼ lb. 60c.

7346 White Egg. 52 days. A handsome, egg-shaped white variety. Grows large.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 20c., ¼ lb. 50c.

7373 Purple-Top Strap-Leaf. 45 days. The best of the flat Turnips.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 20c., ¼ lb. 50c.

7389 Seven-Top. 30-35 days. Cultivated for the tops only. Cut for salads and greens, also for stock-feed. Pkt. 10c., oz. 15c., ¼ lb. 25c.



7335 Purple-Top White Globe

Ruta-bagas

TURNIPS—Continued

7394 Yellow Aberdeen. 70-80 days. Very hardy and productive. Good for stock and table. Keeps well.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 15c., ¼ lb. 35c.

7402 Golden Ball. 60-65 days. A small, early, medium-sized golden yellow variety with flesh of the finest texture. Unsurpassed for table use.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 20c., ¼ lb. 50c.

RUTA-BAGA or Swedish Turnip

An important Fall crop for the roots can be stored throughout the Winter.

Seeds may be sown during April, but since they do not do well during hot weather, it is best not to make further plantings until after June 15, when an Autumn crop may be sown. Their cultural requirements are like Turnips except that they must be thinned to stand 6 inches apart.

1 ounce of seed should sow a 150-foot row

7415 Improved American. 90 days. Flesh yellow, solid, sweet, fine-flavored.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., ¼ lb. 60c.

7427 White Cape. 85 days. The white Ruta-baga required by all Cape Cod folks. A fine-grained, large, solid Winter sort.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., ¼ lb. 60c.

7433 Skirving's Purple-Top. 85 days. Large; yellow, firm, sweet flesh, good keeper.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., ¼ lb. 60c.

HERBS for Flavor and Fragrance

HERB SEEDS FLORENCE FENNEL

Sow outdoors in the garden during June. Plant thinly in rows and cover the seed with not over ¼ inch of soil. Allow about 2 feet between rows. When the seedlings are large enough to handle thin out to stand about 6 inches apart. As the cool Fall weather approaches hill up the soil around the plants.

1 ounce of seed will sow a row of 50 feet

5948 Florence Fennel. 85 days. This delicious Italian vegetable has grown very much in favor in recent years. The leaf bases form the portion which is so highly prized, being sometimes boiled and occasionally cut up and used in a raw state for salad purposes.

Pkt. 10c., ½ oz. 40c., oz. 70c.

CHIVES

Chives seeds may be sown outdoors from about April 20 until early July. Sow thinly in rows, spaced about 18 inches apart. The resulting plants should be thinned out or transplanted to stand about 1 foot apart. Chives are perfectly hardy and may remain in the garden throughout the Winter or the plants may be lifted and planted in pots or boxes for growing indoors during the Winter for a constant supply of this most desirable flavoring plant.

1 ounce of seed will sow a 200-foot row

5461 Chive Seeds. An easily grown hardy perennial, the foliage of which is very desirable for flavoring soups and salads. Decorative too; excellent for edgings.

Pkt. 25c., ½ oz. 60c., oz. \$1.00

HERB PLANTS

BALM, LEMON (*Melissa officinalis*). A perennial growing to a height of 2 feet with broad dark green leaves and pale yellow flowers. The leaves have a delightful lemon, minty fragrance and are used for flavoring in salads and iced beverages.

\$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, postpaid

CHIVES (*Allium schoenoprasum*). Hardy perennial. Grows in small clumps with 10-inch tubular leaves and pretty lilac flower heads. The foliage has a delicate Onion flavor and is in great demand for soups and salads; also adds a tasty tang to cottage cheese, omelettes and sandwich spreads.

\$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, postpaid

MARJORAM, SWEET (*Majorana hortensis*). The deliciously fragrant leaves of this plant are delightful in scent bags and in powders; fresh leaves may be used in salads, and dried leaves for seasoning meats, poultry or cheeses.

\$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, postpaid

MINT. Hardy perennial plants which are valued for both flavor and fragrance. The fresh, leafy tops are used for jellies and in iced beverages. The powdered dried leaves are used for seasoning lamb or fish sauces, in Apple sauce and for sprinkling over vegetables.

\$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, postpaid

SAGE (*Salvia officinalis*). A hardy perennial. The fresh leaves may be chopped and used for flavoring sausage, cottage cheese or pickles. Dried and powdered they are used for sprinkling on roasted meats, in poultry stuffings and with certain cooked vegetables.

\$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, postpaid

SAVORY, WINTER (*Satureia montana*). Hardy perennial plants of a somewhat shrubby nature the leaves of which remain nearly evergreen. The flowers are white and the plants may be clipped to form a very neat border plant.

\$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, postpaid

TARRAGON (*Artemisia dracunculus*). Hardy perennial plants with an anise-like flavor. The fresh leaves are used in salads and pickles; the dried leaves are added to soups, stews and cream sauces.

\$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, postpaid

THYME (*Thymus vulgaris*). A hardy, shrubby perennial. The fresh tops are used for garnishing and the leaves either dried or fresh are chopped and used for flavoring a great variety of cooked foods.

\$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, postpaid

8145 Basil, Sweet (*Ocimum basilicum*). Treat as annual. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

8191 Dill (*Anethum graveolens*). Annual. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.

8202 Fennel (*Foeniculum vulgare*). Treat as annual. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

8246 Lavender (*Lavandula officinalis*). Hardy perennial. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

8318 Sage (*Salvia officinalis*). Hardy perennial. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

8329 Summer Savory (*Satureia hortensis*). Annual. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Breck's

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8 Plants for \$2.35

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16 Plants \$4.50

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CLOVERS and FIELD SEEDS

BUCKWHEAT. The largest and best variety. It is grown extensively as an article of food but is also used as a quick growing cover crop for turning in to improve soils. 1 lb. will sow 200 square feet. 1½ bushels to an acre. Not prepaid, 12 lbs. (pk.) \$1.25, 24 lbs. \$2.25, 48 lbs. (bu.) \$4.00

CLOVER, Alsike (*Trifolium hybridum*). A very hardy perennial Clover valuable as a forage crop and for soil improvement. Alsike is often sown with Timothy and Red Clover to be used as hay and produces a crop of superior quality. It is very free flowering and attractive to bees. Prepaid, lb. 70c., 5 lbs. \$3.20, 10 lbs. \$4.20, 50 lbs. \$21.50, from 60 to 100 lbs., 41c. per lb.

CLOVER, Bokhara or White Sweet (*Melilotus alba*). An excellent legume for plowing under as a green manure. If cut before it becomes too coarse, it makes very satisfactory hay. Although not relished by livestock as much as Alfalfa, it will grow on soils much too poor for Alfalfa. Valuable crop for beekeepers; not suitable for lawns. Prepaid, lb. 35c., 5 lbs. \$1.60, 10 lbs. \$3.00, 50 lbs. \$10.75; from 60 to 100 lbs., 19½c. per lb.

CLOVER, Ladino White. A mammoth white Clover from the Pacific Northwest hardy in New England. Valuable in any pasture or for permanent mowing. Not for lawns. Prepaid, lb. \$2.25, 5 lbs. \$10.75, 10 lbs. \$20.00, 25 lbs. \$47.00

CLOVER, Medium Red (*Trifolium pratense*). This is the common Red Clover and by far the most important variety. It may be sown alone or in combination with various other forage plants. A highly nutritive forage crop and valuable too for plowing under to improve soils. It will grow on a wide variety of soils but will not tolerate poorly drained land. Prepaid, lb. 70c., 5 lbs. \$3.20, 10 lbs. \$4.75, 50 lbs. \$23.00; from 60 to 100 lbs., 44c. per lb.

CLOVER, Wild White. A hardy, persistent variety of creeping habit which is excellent in lawn mixtures where Clover is desired. Highly recommended for pasture mixtures. It will stand extremely close cropping, and its blossoms much less than the ordinary White Clover. The leaves are small and blend readily with other grasses to form a thick, dense turf. This type of Clover may eventually supersede the older variety. Prepaid, ¼ lb. 65c., lb. \$2.00, 5 lbs. \$9.50, 10 lbs. \$18.00.

CLOVER, White Dutch (*Trifolium repens*). This is the Clover which has been used so widely in lawn grass mixtures. It will grow in a great variety of soils but is most luxuriant on alkaline soils where it receives plenty of moisture. White Clover is also a splendid pasture plant and because of its high nutritive value the hay is very desirable for cattle. Prepaid, ¼ lb. 50c., lb. \$1.50, 5 lbs. \$7.00, 10 lbs. \$13.50

MILLET, Hungarian (*Panicum germanicum*). This variety matures earlier than the preceding and is of value as one of the quickest catch crops for hay. It has a remarkable resistance to drought and will remain fresh and green when other vegetation is parched. Also used widely as green feed. Sow at the rate of 50 lbs. per acre.

Not prepaid, 5 lbs. 70c., 10 lbs. \$1.35, 25 lbs. \$3.15, 100 lbs. \$12.00

MILLET, Japanese (*Panicum crus-galli*). Distinct from other varieties. An enormous cropper, over 6 feet high, excellent either green or as cured hay. Broadcast at the rate of 25 lbs. per acre; in drills 18 inches apart, sow 15 lbs. to the acre. Weight about 35 lbs. per bushel.

Not prepaid, 5 lbs. 70c., 10 lbs. \$1.35, 25 lbs. \$3.15, 100 lbs. \$12.00

OATS, Breck's King. A variety of splendid vigor, hardness and productivity. In addition to their value as human food, Oats are the best grain feed for horses and they are also used as a cover crop and for green manure to improve impoverished soils. Sow at the rate of 1 lb. to 100 square feet or 3 bushels to the acre.

Not prepaid, 8 lbs. (pk.) 85c., 16 lbs. \$1.50, 32 lbs. (bu.) \$2.75

RAPE, Dwarf Essex. A broadleaved plant of the Cabbage family which is greatly relished by sheep and hogs. It is widely used as a pasture plant and provides a great amount of forage. Sow broadcast at the rate of 6 to 8 lbs. to the acre.

Not prepaid, lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.60, 25 lbs. \$8.50

RYE, Rosen Winter. Prices on application in August

RYE, Spring. Rye is raised extensively as a grain for human consumption, but in this section of the country its chief use is for cover crops or for green manure purposes. It is often sown with Vetch to prevent soil erosion and to turn in to improve soils. Sow at the rate of 1 lb. to 100 square feet or 1¼ bushels to the acre.

Not prepaid, 14 lbs. (pk.) \$1.25, 28 lbs. \$2.25, 56 lbs. (bu.) \$4.00

SOYBEANS, Manchu, Yellow Seeded. This variety is particularly desirable in this section of the country for hay, ensilage and also for plowing in to improve the soil. Sow in drills at the rate of 100 lbs. per acre. Not prepaid, 5 lbs. 70c., 10 lbs. \$1.35, 25 lbs. \$3.15, 100 lbs. \$12.00

Lawn and Field Grasses

BENT, Colonial (*Agrostis tenuis*). An Oregon-grown strain of Colonial or Rhode Island Bent. This grass produces a luxuriant, heavy and very firm turf when it is maintained as a putting green. It is of fine texture, hardy, and well adapted to New England soils and conditions; very resistant to disease. Desirable as a golf putting green grass and as an important lawn seed mixture ingredient. Prepaid, Lb. \$1.50, 5 lbs. \$7.00, 10 lbs. \$13.50, 25 lbs. \$31.50

FESCUE, Cheving's (*Festuca rubra var. fallax*). An excellent, fineleaved, fast-spreading grass which will withstand drought and will thrive on loose, sandy soils which are of a somewhat acid nature. It is at its best in a mixture with other grasses and should be in all good lawn mixtures but never sown alone. Prepaid, Lb. \$1.25, 5 lbs. \$5.95, 10 lbs. \$11.25, 25 lbs. \$26.25

FESCUE, Creeping Red (*Festuca rubra*). Certified Genuine Olds Strain. An excellent fine-leaved grass of creeping habit which makes a beautiful turf when combined with other grasses. Valuable in mixtures for shade. Prepaid, Lb. \$1.50, 5 lbs. \$7.00, 10 lbs. \$13.50, 25 lbs. \$31.50

KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS (*Poa pratensis*). A very valuable grass for lawns and permanent pastures on soils that are fairly rich and which have an alkaline reaction. Kentucky Bluegrass germinates and matures slowly and the resulting turf is not fully developed until it is two years old. (It does not reach perfection as a pasture grass until it is at least four years old.) For lawns, combine it with other varieties which develop more quickly but which are gradually crowded out by this long-lived and really permanent grass. Prepaid, Lb. 65c., 5 lbs. \$2.95, 10 lbs. \$5.75, 25 lbs. \$13.75

ORCHARD GRASS (*Dactylis glomerata*). An excellent, fibrous-rooted perennial grass which thrives well on light, sandy soils. Particularly valuable on hilly slopes that wash badly, where its roots when established penetrate deeply, preventing erosion. Withstands droughts better than most species. Not desirable for lawn purposes, but an excellent pasture grass; makes excellent hay when combined with Red Clover. Prepaid, Lb. 65c., 5 lbs. \$2.95, 10 lbs. \$5.75, 25 lbs. \$13.75

RED TOP (*Agrostis alba*). An important grass for both lawn and agricultural purposes. Will thrive under a wide range of conditions. In lawn seed mixtures it is used solely as a nurse crop to be replaced by slower growing but more permanent grasses. Often sown with Timothy and Red Clover for pasture purposes. Fancy or cleaned seed, 40 lbs. per bushel. Prepaid, Lb. 35c., 5 lbs. \$1.60, 10 lbs. \$3.00, 25 lbs. \$7.00, 100 lbs. \$27.00

RYEGRASS, Domestic (*Lolium Species*). A mixture of Perennial and Italian Ryegrasses grown in the Pacific Northwest. It does not produce a permanent turf and should never be sown alone, but it is a valuable nurse grass because of its rapid growth for both lawn and pasture. Prepaid Lb. 25c., 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.25, 25 lbs. \$5.25, 100 lbs. \$20.00

RYEGRASS, Perennial (*Lolium perenne*). A quick germinating and rapid growing variety much used as a nurse grass for slower developing sorts in lawn seed mixtures; valuable for hay or pasturage. Perennial Ryegrass is seldom used alone, but is sown in combination with other grasses for either lawn or field use. Prepaid, Lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$2.15, 10 lbs. \$4.00, 25 lbs. \$9.50, 100 lbs. \$36.00

TIMOTHY (Herd's Grass) (*Phleum pratense*). A valuable grass for hay, thriving best on moist, loamy soils of medium texture. Under favorable conditions it will yield 3 to 4 tons of best quality hay per acre. Not to be used in good lawn mixtures. Weight, 45 lbs. per bushel. Prepaid, Lb. 20c., 5 lbs. 95c., 10 lbs. \$1.65, 50 lbs. \$7.75—In lots from 60 to 100 lbs., 13½c. per lb.

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WHEAT, Marquis Spring. Wheat is, of course, the grain that is most largely used in the manufacture of products for human consumption. It is also of value as a feed for livestock, but in our section of the country it is grown for hay, for its straw which is used for bedding livestock, and for a green manure crop. This variety is a heavy cropping type for Spring planting. The kernel is dark red, hard, and plump. It is beardless, with smooth yellow chaff, and it is particularly valuable because of its earliness. Sow at the rate of 1 lb. to 200 square feet, or 2 bushels to the acre. Not prepaid, 15 lbs. (pk.) \$1.25, 30 lbs. \$2.25, 60 lbs. (bu.) \$4.00

GRASS SEED MIXTURES

FOR MOWING AND GRAZING

No. 6 MIXTURE—For 1 Year's Mowing. This mixture is composed of the following grasses and Clover in the proper proportions: Rye Grasses, Orchard Grass, Red Top, Meadow Fescue, Timothy, Red Clover, Alsike Clover. Sow 35 lbs. per acre. Prepaid, 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50, 25 lbs. \$10.50, 100 lbs. \$40.00

No. 9 MIXTURE—For 3 Year's Mowing or Grazing. This mixture contains the following grasses and Clovers blended for semi-permanent seeding-down purposes. Rye Grasses, Orchard Grass, Kentucky Bluegrass, Red Top, Meadow Fescue, Timothy, Alsike Clover, Red Clover, Ladino White Clover. Sow 37 lbs. per acre. Prepaid, 5 lbs. \$2.35, 10 lbs. \$4.50, 25 lbs. \$10.50, 100 lbs. \$40.00

No. 15 MIXTURE—For Permanent Mowing or Grazing. This mixture in carefully measured proportions contains the following list of grasses and Clovers best adapted to permanent pasturage and mowing: Rye Grasses, Orchard Grass, Cheving's Fescue, Kentucky Bluegrass, Red Top, Meadow Fescue, Timothy, Red Clover, Alsike Clover and Ladino White Clover. Sow 43 lbs. per acre. Prepaid, 5 lbs. \$2.95, 10 lbs. \$5.75, 25 lbs. \$13.75, 100 lbs. \$52.00

BRECK'S Flower Seeds

ACHILLEA Yarrow

Hardy Perennials Flower garden
2 feet

Easily grown perennial border plants bearing white clustered flower heads. Excellent for half-shady places. Fine for cutting.

0021 Ptarmica, The Pearl. Large, snowy-white clusters. 2 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

ACONITUM – Monkshood

Hardy Perennials Flower garden 6 feet

Tall, stately plants which resemble Delphiniums in form, bearing long spikes of curiously-shaped, hooded blooms. The foliage mats closely at the base and is of a deep, lustrous green color. Excellent in semi-shade.

0036 Wilsoni. Violet-blue blooms on fine, 6-ft. plants during September and October. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

ACROCLINIUM – Everlasting

Half-hardy Annual Cutting garden 24 inches

Pretty, Daisy-like flowers in white and pink shades which may be cut before they are fully expanded and dried for Winter bouquets. They grow quickly and will often bloom in 6 or 7 weeks after sowing.

0043 Sensation Giants, Mixed. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

The Book of Annuals

By Alfred C. Hottes

Complete and easy to use; it deals with seed sowing, transplanting and cultivation, describing fully all popular garden annuals together with information as to where to use them. \$1.50 Postpaid

AGERATUM – Floss Flower

Treat as Annuals Flower garden
4 to 18 inches

Very satisfactory bedding plants with fuzzy clusters of flowers. The plants vary in height—some are suitable for cut flowers and others for low bedding or edging purposes. Tender perennials which are used as annuals.

0070 Blue Ball, Improved. A fine dwarf, deep blue variety for edging. 4 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/4 oz. \$1.00

0073 Blue Perfection. Dark blue. A choice variety for bedding and cutting. 18 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. \$1.00

0079 Fairy Pink. Soft salmon and rose-pink. Dwarf and compact. 5 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/4 oz. \$2.00

0085 Midget Blue. Dense spreading plants almost smothered with clear, azure-blue flowers. Uniformly dwarf. 4 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/4 oz. \$1.50

0094 Tall White. A clear color. Splendid cut flowers. 18 in. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 40c.

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ALYSSUM – Annual

Hardy Annuals For edging and rockeries
4 to 9 inches

Popular and easily grown plants for the rock-garden or for edging beds or borders. Sweetly-scented flowers produced profusely all Summer.

0106 Carpet of Snow. An excellent, very dwarf variety producing masses of snowy-white flowers all Summer. 4 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.75

0109 Lilac Queen. A pretty shade of lilac. Especially attractive in Autumn. 6 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.25

0112 Little Gem. A dwarf, compact variety. Pure white. 6 inches. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. \$1.25

0118 Sweet Alyssum (Maritimum). The old-fashioned variety. Very fragrant. White. 9 inches. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 50c.

0121 Violet Queen. Bright violet and very compact. The first real step toward definite color among these charming edging plants. 6 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., oz. \$2.50

0125 Superb Edging Mixture. A lovely blend of the various colors found among the annual Alyssums. Varieties used are all of the same habit of growth. Very effective edging for beds and borders. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.25

ALYSSUM – Perennial

Hardy Perennials Rock garden 12 inches

Fine, compact, low-growing plants with gray or gray-green foliage and showy heads of tiny flowers in shades of yellow. Excellent for rock-gardens, wall-gardens, or for the front of perennial borders.

0129 Argenteum (Yellow-Tuft). A Summer blooming variety with deep yellow flowers in clustered heads. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

0132 Saxatile compactum (Gold Dust or Basket of Gold). Brilliant golden yellow flowers and grayish-green foliage on compact spreading plants. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

0138 Silver Queen. A form of Saxatile with delicate primrose-yellow flowers. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/4 oz. 85c.

0141 Breck's Rock Garden Mixture. Combining the varieties listed above and many others. Very interesting and attractive. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/4 oz. \$1.25

AMARANTHUS

Hardy Annuals Flower garden 3 to 5 feet

Showy plants, some with reddish foliage, which will thrive best in sunny positions on rather poor soil. Very interesting flowers.

0145 Caudatus (Love-lies-Bleeding). Very handsome with long, pendant, crimson flower streamers. 3 to 5 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.

0148 Molten Fire. A very showy plant with brilliant red foliage and Poinsettia-like flower heads. 4 feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

ANCHUSA – Annual

Half-hardy Annual Flower garden 18 inches

0167 Blue Bird (Summer Forget-Me-Not). Compact plants with luxuriant clusters of vivid indigo-blue flowers. Excellent for cutting and for long-continued bloom in the garden. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.50

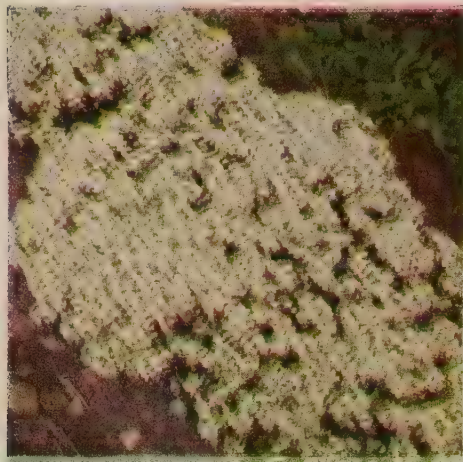
ANCHUSA – Perennial

Hardy Perennials Flower garden 1 to 4 feet

These excellent, blue-flowered perennials are very effective border plants. The foliage is of a coarse texture but their profuse bloom makes them very valuable for garden display.

0173 Azurea (italica) Dropmore. Grows 3 to 4 feet high with masses of brilliant gentian-blue flowers in June and July. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

0182 Myosotidiflora. A dwarf species, quite distinct from the others, bearing rich, blue Forget-Me-Not-like flowers during May and June. Splendid rock-garden plant or ground cover for shady places. 1 foot. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.



0106 Alyssum, Carpet of Snow



0085 Ageratum, Midget Blue



0145 Amaranthus, Caudatus



0312 Antirrhinum, Rose Sensation

Antirrhinum

(SNAPDRAGON)

New Rust-proof Strains

Treat as Annuals. Flower garden 6 to 30 inches.

Handsome, erect plants bearing tall spikes of showy, colorful blooms of curious form. Effective in mass bedding schemes and exceptionally fine for cutting. Snapdragons are tender perennials, but are used as annuals. They will thrive in any reasonably good garden soil and may be brought into bloom early in the season by sowing the seed indoors in February.

0312 Rose Sensation. Don't overlook this very attractive variety. Numerous 20-inch spikes of sparkling rose-pink blooms. A real beauty.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Large Flowered Giant

Excellent for tall bedding schemes or for cutting. 2½ feet.

0210 Orange Shades. Deep to light orange. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

0213 Pinkie. Clear pink. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

0216 Rosalie. Rich, deep rose with an underlying tone of amber. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.25

0219 Scarlet. A brilliant shade. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

0222 Shasta. Pure white. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

0225 Yellow Jacket. Rich, deep yellow. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

0228 Breck's Choice Mixture. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

02291 COLLECTION, 6 separate varieties, 75c.

Breck's Super-Giant

The plants are slightly taller than those of the above group and the individual flowers are much larger. 2¾ feet.

0240 Alaska. Pure white. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0243 Campfire. Luminous scarlet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0246 Copper King. Like burnished copper. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0249 Crimson King. Fiery crimson. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0252 Paradise Rose. Deep rose-pink. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0255 Yellow Giant. Rich, deep yellow. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0258 Mixed. All of the above and many others. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

02601 COLLECTION, 6 separate varieties, \$1.25

Super-Majestic Intermediate

A base-branching type. Excellent for either bedding or cutting. 16 to 20 inches.

0300 Autumn Glow. Old rose, suffused amber with golden lip. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

0302 Dainty. Soft pink. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

0303 Harmony. Terra cotta and yellow, shaded rose. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

0309 Red Rocket. Bright red. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

0312 Rose Sensation. Rose-pink. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

0315 Shell Pink. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

0318 Mixed. All of these and many other colors. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

03201 COLLECTION, 6 separate varieties, \$1.25

Rock Garden Variety

0330 Magic Carpet. A new Antirrhinum of almost creeping habit. The colors are bright with orange and pink predominating. Ideal for color in the rock garden. 6 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Greenhouse Varieties

0335 Afterglow. Deep golden bronze.	Pkt. 1.00
0338 Ceylon Court. Golden yellow.	1.00
0341 Cheviot Maid Supreme. Early, rose-pink.	1.00
0344 Klondike Supreme. Deep yellow.	1.50
0347 Lucky Strike. Pure white.	1.00
0353 Shaffroth's Early Pink. Queen of all pink Snaps.	2.00
0362 Weld Pink. Salmon, shading orange.	1.00

Aquilegia

(COLUMBINE)

Hardy Perennials Flower garden 2 to 3 feet

A remarkably interesting family of lovely garden flowers. The foliage is very graceful and delicately formed. The flowers which stand well above it are unique in shape and very attractive with a great range of colorings. Columbines thrive under a wide range of conditions and cover a long flowering period.

0375 Caerulea (The Rocky Mountain Columbine). Plants about 2 feet tall with superb, long-spurred flowers of powder-blue and white. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., ¼ oz. \$1.50

0381 Canadensis (The Eastern Wild Columbine). An excellent plant for rock gardens and hardy borders, especially in shade. Flowers, scarlet and yellow. 2 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.25

0384 Chrysanthia (The Golden Columbine). Remarkable for the long, slender spurs and golden yellow flowers. 3 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0387 Clematiflora Choice Mixed (The Clematis-flowered Columbine). A new type of spurless Columbine with beautiful, open, Clematis-like flowers. The mixture contains a wide variety of lovely colors. 2½ feet. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

0399 Longissima Hybrids. A wonderful new strain featuring the extremely long spurs of "Longissima" and all the exquisite color tints found among other Aquilegias. 3 feet. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

Long Spurred Hybrids

Sturdy plants 2½ feet or more, tall. Exquisitely formed, long-spurred flowers of many colors, ranging from the most delicate tints to the brightest hues and including many sparkling color contrasts.

0411 Crimson Star. Crimson and white. 2 feet. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

0423 Blue Shades Mixed. Handsome large flowers in various shades of blue. 3 feet. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., ¼ oz. \$2.00

0426 Pink Shades Mixed. An attractive mixture of pink and rose shades. 3 feet. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., ¼ oz. \$2.00

0429 Breck's Superb Mixture. A complete mixture of all the above and many other attractive shades. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., ¼ oz. \$2.50



0411 Aquilegia, Crimson Star



0655 Aster, Princess Bonnie



0564 Aster, Navy Blue



0519 Asters, American Beauty, Mixed

Breck's ASTERS For Fall Bloom

Progress has recently been made in the development of wilt-resistant Asters. Perfection is not claimed, but those which have been improved are indicated here by a ★ meaning WILT-RESISTANT.

BRECK'S INTERNATIONAL PRIZE MIXTURE

0500 A Splendid Mixture of practically all of the colors and types in our list as well as many others. Highly desirable for those who wish a wide variety at minimum expense. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

American Beauty

A September blooming race of Asters, 2 1/2 to 3 feet high, with large, compact, semi-globular flowers on long, stout stems. Excellent keeping qualities. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 85c.

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| 0505 Azure Blue ★ | 0513 Purple ★ |
| 0507 Crimson ★ | 0515 Shell Pink ★ |
| 0509 Deep Rose ★ | 0517 White ★ |
| 0511 Deep Violet ★ | 0519 Mixed ★ |

05211 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors ★ 75c.

American Branching

Robust branching plants, 2 1/2 feet tall. Flowers large, double and of fine form, blooming in early September. A great favorite.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/8 oz. 60c.

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| 0526 Azure Blue ★ | 0534 Shell Pink ★ |
| 0528 Crimson ★ | 0536 White ★ |
| 0530 Light Rose ★ | 0538 Mixed ★ |
| 0532 Purple ★ | |

05401 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors ★ 50c.

HELPFUL HINT

Avoid planting Asters in the spot where they grew last year. A new location will aid materially in preventing soil-borne diseases.

Breck's California Sunshine

This fascinating new type of Aster has been rightly called the most beautiful in the world. The blooms are large and graceful, 4 inches or more across, and are composed of a single row of loosely placed outer petals which contrast charmingly with a unique light yellow and white central disc that resembles lace. The stems are long and the plants grow from 2 to 3 feet in height. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.75

- 0545 Iolanthe.** Pure white.
0547 Maytime. Delicate flesh-pink.
0549 Naughty Marietta. Clear light blue.
0551 Pink Lady. Charming salmon-pink.
0553 Quaker Girl. Dainty lavender.
0556 The Enchantress. Deep rose.
0557 Vagabond King. Flashing purple.
0559 Mixed Colors.

05611 COLLECTION, 6 separate varieties, \$1.25

Early Giant Crego

0564 Navy Blue. *Honorable Mention, 1943.*

A.A.S. The first of a new class of large-flowered early Asters, "Early Giant Crego." Four-inch, fully double, deep purplish blue flowers with long, curled petals on 20 inch branching plants. A splendid early cutting variety with sturdy, 12 inch stems. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Early Giant

The finest large-flowered, heavy stemmed wilt-resistant Aster. Flowers are of the "Giants of California" type, while the plants are only 1 1/2 feet high. Very early-flowering.

0566 Light Blue. ★ Silver Medal, 1939, All-America Selections.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.35

0568 Peach Blossom. ★ Flowers open white, but soon flush to pink and lavender pink.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.35

0570 Rose Marie. ★ Rich, lively shade of rose. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., 1/8 oz. \$2.50

Giants of California

Large, full blooms of the Crego Giant type with broad, curled, and interlaced petals. The immense Chrysanthemum-like flowers are borne on long, strong stems and the plants reach a height of 3 feet, blooming from late Summer until frost. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.35

- 0592 Azure Blue**
0593 Crimson
0595 Dark Purple ★
0597 Deep Rose
0599 Loveliness. Rich pure pink touched with salmon.

0601 Peach Blossom. Opens white, flushes lavender-pink.

- 0603 Pure White**
0605 Mixed

06071 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors, \$1.25

Giant Crego

Huge, fluffy double flowers of Chrysanthemum form. The stems are long and branching and the plants are over 2 feet high. A very popular type. **0635 Choice Mixture. ★** Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

06371 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors ★ 75c.

Princess

Fine new Asters composed of fullcrested centers surrounded by several rows of broad guard petals. The stems are long and sturdy, and the blooms are 3 to 3 1/2 inches in diameter. Exquisite cutting flowers. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

0651 Princess Anne. ★ Delicate pink changing to rose pink.

0655 Princess Bonnie. ★ Beautiful soft salmon-rose, center golden while opening.

0659 Princess Marsha. ★ Vivid scarlet with contrasting center of rich gold which becomes silvery with maturity.

Asters—Continued

Queen of the Market

A well-known early flowering strain of Aster of branching habit which grows to a height of about 1½ feet. The flowers are of medium size on long stems and are used extensively for cut flowers. Blooms in early August.

0682 Mixed ★. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ½ oz. 60c.

06841 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors ★ 50c.

Single Giant

A new type, the largest and finest single-flowered Aster, with very small centers and long, graceful rays. Vigorous plants, 1½ to 2 feet tall.

0699 Mixed ★. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ½ oz. 60c.

07011 COLLECTION, 5 separate colors ★ 60c.

Victory Giants

0719 Mixed. *Honorable Mention*, 1943, A.A.S.

Extra-early flowering "Giants of California" type in a very pleasing color mixture. The plants are of branching habit, of sturdy growth and about 3 feet tall, with fine, strong, straight stems. The crown flowers average 5 inches across. A splendid new Aster type for early cutting purposes.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

ASTERS — Perennial

Hardy Perennials. Flower or rock garden. 15 inches

0738 Subcaeruleus. A handsome dwarf variety which blooms in May and June. Large flowers of clear bluish mauve with yellow centers. Height 15 inches. Another fine rock garden variety.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

ARABIS — Rock-Cress

Hardy Perennial Rock garden 1 foot

Low border or rock garden plants with grayish foliage and huge masses of small, showy flowers in the early Spring.

0435 Alpina. Pure white, fragrant flowers. 1 foot. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

ARENARIA — Sandwort

Hardy Perennial Rock garden 4 inches

0437 Montana. An excellent, low-growing rock plant with narrow, bright green leaves and icy white flowers during the late Spring or early Summer.

Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

0570 Aster, Rose Marie

ARCTOTIS — African Daisy

Half-hardy Annual Flower garden 2½ feet

0440 Grandis. A handsome flower from South Africa. The Daisy-like blooms are clear white on the upper surface with the back of the petals lilac-blue. The gray-green foliage also adds to the appearance. Grows quickly from seed and blooms all Summer. Valuable as a cut flower.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ½ oz. 50c.

ARMERIA — Thrift

Hardy Perennial Rock garden 3 to 24 inches

Dwarf perennials with narrow, evergreen leaves which form low tufts or rosettes from which the showy flower heads rise on thin, wiry stems. They bloom fairly continuously from early Spring until Fall and make fine edging or border plants, suitable also for rock gardens.

0455 Alpina. A very dwarf plant which forms a compact little tuft of foliage and bright rose heads of flowers about 3 inches high.

Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

0461 Formosa. Bright rose. 18 inches.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0464 Formosa Large-flowered Hybrids. Large ball-shaped flowers varying in color from pink to shades of rose and crimson. 18 inches.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ½ oz. \$1.00

0467 Giant Pink. A beautiful large-flowered pink variety. 2 feet. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

ASCLEPIAS

Hardy Perennial Flower garden 2 feet

0477 Tuberosa (Butterfly Weed). A gorgeous, native plant. Excellent for dry borders. Brilliant orange flowers in July and August. 2 feet.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

ASPARAGUS

Tender Perennials Greenhouse Climbers

Easily grown greenhouse plants, the feathery foliage of which is cut and used extensively in bouquets.

0482 Plumosus nanus. Flat, lacy fronds which are very effective when mixed with flowers in bouquets.

Pkt. 25c., 100 seeds \$1.00

0485 Sprengeri. Long, feathery sprays. Used in hanging baskets as well as for cutting.

Pkt. 25c., 100 seeds \$1.00

AUBRIETIA

Hardy Perennials. Edging or rock garden. 4 in.

Trailing, rock garden or edging plants growing only about 4 inches high and forming dense mats which blossom out in the early Spring with masses of brilliant hues. Excellent for dry, wall gardens or between flagstones.

0753 Large-flowered Hybrids. A handsome, large-flowered strain. Many shades of lavender, mauve, rose, purple and violet.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

BALSAM — Ladyslipper

Half-hardy Annuals. Garden plants. 15 to 24 in.

Old-fashioned garden favorites with blooms of extreme beauty in an unusual range of rare colors.

0770 Breck's Special Mixture. Clusters of double flowers resembling Camellias are produced in great abundance.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 60c.

BAPTISIA — False Indigo

Hardy Perennial Garden plant 3 feet

0784 Australis. Strong growing, bushy perennial with handsome, dark, bluish-green foliage and spikes of deep blue, pea-shaped flowers which somewhat resemble Lupins, during June and July.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.



0440 Arctotis grandis

BEGONIAS—Tuberous Rooted

Bulbous Bedding or pot plants 1 foot

Spectacular Summer bedding plants with large brilliant blooms in a wide assortment of colors. Excellent for partially shaded places. They will bloom in about 6 months from the time the seed is sown.

0798 Breck's Prize Single, Mixed. A selection from the finest and newest varieties. Pkt. \$1.25

0800 Breck's Prize Double, Mixed. A superb strain. Pkt. \$1.75

0802 Breck's Prize Fringed, Mixed. Huge single blooms with petals beautifully frilled and fringed along the edges. Pkt. \$1.25

Begonia Bulbs

Bulbs of the tuberous-rooted types are available in separate colors throughout the Spring months. They are very easy to grow and may be planted in pots from February on and used as house plants; or in the open garden in May. See page 54.

BEGONIA Gracilis

Tender Perennials Bedding plants 12 inches

A splendid type for mass bedding or for growing in pots for conservatory use. Erect plants crowned with clusters of showy flowers. Glossy green or reddish foliage. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

0815 Enchantress. Bright pink, green foliage.

0817 Indian Maid. Deep scarlet, bronze foliage.

0819 Luminosa. Bright scarlet, reddish foliage.

0820 White. Shining green foliage.

BROWALLIA

Hardy Annuals. Garden and conservatory. 1 foot

Easily grown, free-flowering plants. Fine for Summer bedding and excellent as greenhouse pot plants for Winter use.

0865 Speciosa major. Beautiful perpetual-flowering plants with large, violet-blue flowers on semi-trailing plants that may be used for bedding. It is especially fine for window boxes and when grown as conservatory pot plants.

Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

0867 Viscosa Sapphire. Compact, upright plants covered with masses of dark blue, white eyed flowers. 10 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.





CALENDULA

Hardy Annuals Flower garden 18 inches

Superb annuals which are very easily grown from seed. They start to bloom in early Summer and continue to bear quantities of flowers until frost cuts them down. The plants grow from 12 to 18 inches high and the flowers range in color from pale straw through the various shades of yellow, to the deepest orange. Calendulas make fine cut flowers as well as being exceptionally fine garden plants. Sow just as early in the Spring as the ground can be worked.

0885 Breck's Giant Orange. Huge, massive blooms of rich glowing orange. The finest orange variety for the garden and for cut flowers.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0888 Ball's Gold. Immense blooms of bright golden yellow.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.

0891 Apricot Queen. Fine, flat-petaled blooms of a bright apricot shade which deepens toward the center of the flower. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.

0900 Lemon Queen, Improved. Clear lemon-yellow. A fine, large flower. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.

0903 Meteor. Creamy white, each petal narrowly edged with orange. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.

0906 Orange Fantasy. Handsome flowers of coppery orange, each petal edged mahogany-red. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.

0909 Orange King. Sparkling deep orange. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.

0912 Orange Sunshine. Unique loose-petaled flowers of an attractive bright orange color. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.

0918 Yellow Colossal. A free-flowering extra large, lemon-yellow Calendula with loosely arranged, wavy petals. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

0921 Double Mixed. A splendid mixture containing all the various shades of yellow and orange. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 50c.

CALCEOLARIA

Tender Perennial. Greenhouse plants. Heights vary

Popular conservatory or greenhouse plants which bear showy heads of colorful, pouch-like flowers, often spotted with contrasting shades. Sow under glass in late Spring or Summer.

0925 Breck's Scotch Prize Mixed. Very fine large flowers of rich and varied colors in a wide assortment. Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75

0929 James Giant Hybrids Mixed. A fine strain. Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75

0931 Rugosa Mixed. A shrubby type, bearing large clusters of small flowers in a variety of rich shades. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

CALLIOPSIS — Annual

For Perennial Varieties, see Coreopsis

Hardy Annuals Flower garden 12 to 24 inches

Free-flowering, wiry-stemmed annuals in shades of yellow, brown and crimson. The tall varieties are excellent when massed in the flower garden and are among the finest flowers for cutting. The dwarfier types make wonderful edging plants. Sow the seed directly in the garden in the early Spring, and, if the flowers are removed as they fade, there will be an abundance of bloom from early Summer until Fall. They prefer full sunshine.

0937 Maroon and Gold. 2 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

0940 Tall Mixed. A fine assortment of many varieties. 2 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.

0952 Golden Crown. Deep golden yellow flowers with shining maroon centers. 1 foot. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

0965 Dwarf Mixture. An excellent mixture of varieties which average about 12 inches in height. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 40c.

CAMPANULA — Annual Varieties

Annual Canterbury Bells

Annual Flower garden 2½ feet

A recently introduced strain of the popular Canterbury Bell which will bloom within 6 months from the time the seed is sown. Sow indoors in February or March and enjoy the masses of cup-shaped blooms from Midsummer through the Autumn months.

0980 Choice Mixture. A balanced mixture of all the lovely shades. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.

Campanula

CAMPANULA Medium — Biennial Canterbury Bells

Hardy Biennial Border plants 3 feet

Superb biennials with many erect, branching stems bearing innumerable, cup-shaped flowers of great beauty and distinction. Seeds should be sown no later than May in order to produce plants that will bloom the following year.

Calycanthema — Cup and Saucer

Each flower is set in a wide frill or saucer of the same color. Very showy and handsome.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ½ oz. 65c.

0982 Dark Blue **0984 Rose** **0986 Mixed**
0983 Light Blue **0985 White**

Single

True, old-fashioned Canterbury Bells, with large, single, bell-shaped flowers.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

0987 Dark Blue **0989 Rose** **0992 Mixed**
0988 Light Blue **0990 White**

Double

Larger flowers than those of the single type with the petals duplicated many times and deeply frilled.

0998 Mixed Colors. An excellent mixture of shades of blue, pink, rose and white. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ½ oz. 50c.

CAMPANULA — Perennial Varieties

Hardy Perennials Border and rock garden ½ to 5 feet

In addition to the Canterbury Bells there are many hardy perennial plants in the Campanula family. They vary greatly in form and stature. Some are tall, imposing border subjects while others are ideal for pockets in the rock garden.

1003 Carpatia (Carpathian Harebell). Tufted rock garden plants which are also useful for edging, with slender, erect stems bearing clear blue flowers in Midsummer. Height 12 inches. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

1005 Carpatia alba. A glistening white form. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

1007 Garganica. An attractive, trailing plant with Holly-like foliage and bright lavender-blue, star-shaped flowers in utmost profusion in early Summer. Good in the rock garden. Height 6 inches. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

1009 Glomerata. Rich, dark blue flowers in densely clustered heads during June and July. 2 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

1015 Persicifolia grandiflora (Peach Bell). A charming border plant, with 2-foot spikes of beautifully formed bell-like blue flowers in June-July. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 85c.

1017 Persicifolia grandiflora alba. Lovely white. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ½ oz. 85c.

1021 Persicifolia, Telham Beauty. Immense pale blue flowers. The largest and finest of the Peach Bells. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

1022 Persicifolia, Wedgwood. A new color. Handsome deep violet-blue bells in June and July. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

1023 Pyramidalis alba. The Chimney Bell-flower is an attractive border plant and is also often used in pots for growing in conservatories. It grows up to 5 feet tall with an enormous number of snow-white, bell-shaped flowers, from August on through the Autumn. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

1025 Pyramidalis caerulea. A splendid light blue. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ½ oz. 60c.

1027 Rotundifolia (The Scotch Bluebell). Dwarf plants with large, drooping, bell-shaped flowers of bright blue during the entire Summer. 8 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



1003 and 1005 Campanula, Carpatia



1059 Candytuft, Miniature Gem

CANDYTUFT (IBERIS) - Annual

Hardy Annuals Bedding or edging 4 to 18 inches

Handsome plants for Summer bedding bearing showy, massive heads of attractive blooms. Sow outdoors early in the Spring and thin out to 6 or 8 inches apart, for bloom during July and August. Also fine for pot culture in Winter.

Tall Varieties

- 1032 Breck's White Giant.** Large spikes of pure white flowers. Excellent outdoors or in the greenhouse. A very handsome variety. 18 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 60c.
1042 Breck's Choice Mixture. 1 foot. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.

Dwarf Hybrids

A choice strain of miniature Candytuft growing only about 6 inches in height. These are preferred by many to the older and taller varieties. Excellent for bedding or for edging beds and borders, and also for indoor pot culture.

- 1051 Lilac** **1055 White**
1053 Rose **1057 Choice Mixed**

1059 Miniature Gem. A dainty, small, pure white, Hyacinth-flowered Candytuft. A miniature of our "White Giant." Excellent for use as a narrow ribbon edging. Height 4 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

CANDYTUFT (IBERIS) - Perennial

Hardy Perennials Rock garden 12 inches

Fine evergreen, shrubby plants that spread and form low mats of glossy green foliage, covered during May and June with masses of showy flowers. They may be used at the front of perennial flower borders and are superfine rock garden plants.

1064 Gibraltarica. Lilac. 1 foot. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

CARDINAL CLIMBER

Annual Climbing vine 15 feet

1072 Cardinal Climber (Quamoclit sloteri). Vigorous vines growing about 15 feet high, producing a great abundance of small, tube-shaped flowers of glowing scarlet. The foliage is rich, glossy green and finely cut. Blooms all Summer. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

CARNATIONS - Annual

Chabaud's Giant, Improved

Treat as Annuals Flower garden 18 inches

Large, double, very fragrant blooms in an attractive assortment of colors. They will bloom in about 5 months from the time the seed is sown and continue until frost. Fine flowers for cutting. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.50

- 1077 Jeanne Dionis.** Pure white.
1080 Legion of Honor. Deep salmon-rose.
1083 Marie Chabaud. Clear, light yellow.
1086 Nero. Deep dark crimson.
1089 Sparkler. Bright scarlet.
1092 The Pearl. Light rose pink.
1094 Mixed. All colors.

10951 COLLECTION, 6 separate varieties, \$1.25

CARNATIONS - Perennial

Hardy Perennial Garden flowers 18 inches

Fine, old-fashioned garden plants bearing handsome, double, fragrant blooms in a wide variety of colors. The gray-green foliage is very attractive and flowers are excellent either in the perennial border or when cut.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.75

Grenadin Double

- 1112 Cardinal Red** **1118 Snow White**
1114 Deep Pink **1120 Mixed**
1116 Golden Yellow

GOLD-COIN FLOWER

Hardy Annual 1 1/2 feet

1122 Cassia fasciculata. Graceful in growth with decorative, fern-like foliage, lavishly enriched with glittering golden blossoms. Attractive enough to be grown for the foliage alone, but particularly desirable for its galaxy of bloom. Sure to attract widespread attention. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

CELOSIAS

Half-hardy Annual Garden flowers 1 to 3 feet

Handsome, free-flowering annuals with fantastically-shaped heads or clusters of long-lasting brilliantly colored flowers. The dwarf types are especially valuable for low massed beds and edging, while the taller varieties are excellent for cutting and spectacular landscape effects.

Cockscomb - Dwarf

These are the true, old-fashioned Cockscombs with strangely exaggerated flat clusters of flowers, curled and twisted into the most intricate designs. Height 1 foot.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

- 1145 Glasgow Prize.** Crimson.
1151 Mixed. All colors.

Feathered Cockscomb

The Feathered Cockscomb makes tall, pyramidal heads held erect on stems 2 to 3 feet high.

- 1156 Fiery Red.** Intensely brilliant. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.
1158 Crimson Plume. Rich, velvety crimson. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.
1160 Golden Plume. Bright yellow. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.
1162 Giant Plumed Mixture. Immense heads of many brilliant shades. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.
1165 Pride of Castle Gould. An exceptional strain bearing gigantic silky heads like huge, ostrich plumes in a large variety of colors. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/4 oz. \$1.25



1072 Cardinal Climber



1094 Carnation, Chabaud's Giant



1158 and 1160 Feathered Cockscomb



1204 Red Boy
1206 Snow Man
1200 Blue Boy

12102 FLAG COLLECTION

Red - White - Blue

Nothing Easier to Grow
Nothing will give a
Greater Wealth of Bou-
quet and Button-Hole
Material

3 Pkts. 35c.

ONE OF EACH COLOR

CENTAUREA Cyanus - Annual (Bachelors Button or Cornflower)

Hardy Annual Flower garden 3 feet

These old-fashioned flowers have many names but Bachelors Button and Cornflower are perhaps the most common. They grow in almost any situation and bloom continuously.

Improved Strains

The flowers are large, fully double and the colors intensified. Excellent long stems.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.50

1198 Black Boy. Blackish maroon.

1200 Blue Boy. Cornflower blue. A great improvement on the old-fashioned blue Bachelors Button.

1202 Pinkie. Deep rose-pink.

1204 Red Boy. Handsome deep red.

1206 Snow Man. Pure white.

1208 Mixed. A complete mixture of the new and improved strains.

12101 COLLECTION, 5 separate colors, 60c.

CENTAUREA Cyanus, Dwarf (Dwarf Cornflower)

Hardy Annual Edging 1 foot

1212 Jubilee Gem. A dwarf Cornflower which forms a distinct bright green tuft of foliage from which rise a myriad of frosty, vivid blue flowers. The height is only about 12 inches, which makes it an excellent plant for edging beds or borders. Remove all flowers as soon as they begin to fade and "Jubilee Gem" will continue to bloom throughout the season.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 60c.

Colorful- CENTAUREAS



1228 Centaurea Imperialis

CENTAUREA Imperialis - Annual (Giant Sweet Sultan)

Hardy Annuals Flower garden 2 1/2 feet

Most graceful and charming of the whole Centaurea family, these Giant Sweet Sultans are exquisitely lovely when cut, and if sown early and grown in the cool part of the season, they will continue in bloom for many weeks.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 50c.

1218 Delicate Lilac 1226 Yellow

1220 Purple (Suaveolens)

1222 Rose 1228 Mixed

1224 White

12291 COLLECTION, 5 separate colors, 40c.

CENTAUREA Americana - Annual (Basket Flower)

Hardy Annuals Flower garden 3 feet

Handsome annuals, sturdy in habit, producing broad blooms like monster Sweet Sultans, frequently 5 to 6 inches across. Charming both in the garden and as cut flowers.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 60c.

1232 Rosy Lilac 1234 Pure White

12351 TWIN COLLECTION, 2 colors, 25c.

CERASTIUM - Snow-in-Summer

1250 Tomentosum. A creeping perennial with silvery foliage and clouds of snow-white flowers in June. Useful for rock gardens, edging beds or borders, or as a ground cover in dry, sunny locations. Height 6 inches.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

CHEIRANTHUS

Siberian Wallflower

Treat as Biennials Flower garden 1 foot

Handsome, hardy plants with upright stems bearing fragrant heads of orange or yellow flowers. Extremely fine for rock gardens and borders, because of their brilliant effect during May and June. Seed should be sown in July or August for blooming the following Spring.

1254 Allioni. Showy heads of blazing orange flowers. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 60c.

1256 Golden Bedder. A deep golden yellow variety. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

CHRYSANTHEMUM - Annual

Hardy Annual Flower garden 1 1/2 feet

Annual Chrysanthemums do not resemble in any respect the huge blooms offered in florists' shops in the Autumn. They are splendid garden plants of bushy form with single, Daisy-like blossoms of much charm and grace.

Single Varieties

1273 Eastern Star. Primrose-yellow with a ring of deeper yellow surrounding the brown eye. 18 inches. Pkt. 10c., 1/4 oz. 25c.

1276 Evening Star. Large, golden yellow flowers with light brown central discs. 18 inches. Pkt. 10c., 1/4 oz. 25c.

1279 Morning Star. Pale primrose with a yellow halo surrounding the deeper yellow eye. 18 inches. Pkt. 10c., 1/4 oz. 25c.

1285 Northern Star. Immense ivory-white flowers with a lemon-yellow ring surrounding the dark eye. 18 inches. Pkt. 10c., 1/4 oz. 25c.

1291 Choice Mixed. A fine assortment of these striking Daisy-like flowers.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 85c.

12931 COLLECTION, 4 separate varieties, 35c.

CHRYSANTHEMUM - Perennial

Hardy Perennials Flower garden 1 to 2 1/2 feet

Showy, Daisy-like flowers with yellow centers borne on handsome, bushy plants. Fine for the perennial border and for cutting.

1315 Giant Double Shasta Daisy. An almost fully double form of Shasta Daisy made up of masses of long, slender, pure white petals which curl and twist so as to almost hide the pure yellow centers. It grows about 2 1/2 feet tall and blooms from July until Autumn.

Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

1323 September Jewels. Large, Daisy-like flowers 2 to 3 inches in diameter in a wide range of beautiful colors. The plants are well-rounded, 1 to 2 feet high and are simply covered with bloom. Pkt. 60c., 3 pkts. \$1.50

1324 Shasta Daisy, Alaska. A fine, improved form of the original Shasta Daisy. Large, pure white Daisies during June and July on 2 1/2-foot plants. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 60c.

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Chrysanthemum Plants*

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CINERARIA

Tender Perennial Greenhouse plants 1 to 3 feet

Handsome plants for conservatory or house decoration with massive heads of showy blooms in a wide variety of interesting colors. They are very easily grown and the seed may be sown from May to September for succession, but the principal sowing should be made in July.

1348 Breck's Columbia, Tall Mixed. Large, handsome flowers, an exceptional strain. 2 feet. Pkt. \$1.00, 3 pkts. \$2.50

1350 Breck's Columbia, Dwarf Mixed. Very fine. 15 inches. Pkt. \$1.00, 3 pkts. \$2.50

1352 Cremer's Prize, Mixed. A wonderful strain producing such masses of medium sized blooms that the plants are completely covered. 2 feet. Pkt. \$1.00, 3 pkts. \$2.50

1362 Cactus Flowered, Mixed. Large, single flowers with long, narrow petals rolled length wise. Wide color range. 2½ feet. Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75

1364 Multiflora nana, Mixed. Dwarf, well-formed plants with dense clusters of blooms in many colors. Pkt. \$1.00, 3 pkts. \$2.50

1366 Stellata, Choice Mixed. Large clustered heads of small star-like blooms. Height 3 feet. Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75

California Giants

Large-flowered hybrids in separate shades.

Pkt. \$1.00, 3 pkts. \$2.50

1367 Blue Shades.

1368 Crimson Shades.

1369 Salmon Shades.

1370 Giant Mixture. All shades.

CLARKIA

Hardy Annual Flower garden 2½ feet

Although natives of this country and widely cultivated abroad, Clarkias are strangely neglected in most gardens. They can be grown with the utmost ease if they are given a little shade and ordinary attention. The tall, leafy stems are covered with showy flowers making them most attractive for bedding and cutting. Fine, also, when grown in pots for use in the conservatory.

1380 Orange King. Bright orange-scarlet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

1386 Salmon Queen. Rich salmon-pink. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

1387 Scarlet Queen. Brilliant scarlet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

1389 White Prince. Pure white. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

1392 Superb Mixture. Many new and lovely colors. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 50c.



1291 Chrysanthemums

CLEOME Pungens – Spider Plant

Hardy Annuals Flower garden 3 to 5 feet

Handsome, vigorous plants which grow from 3 to 5 feet high and produce many spikes of showy flowers with long, spidery stamens. Excellent for bold masses in the back of the flower border or in the center of large beds.

CLEOME

1400 PINK QUEEN. *Silver Medal, 1942*

A.A.S. Huge heads of delightful, clear pink blooms, borne high on tall, well branched and attractive plants, with clean and airy foliage. It starts to bloom in early July and continues on without a lapse until frost cuts it down. Known simply as the "Pink Spider Plant" but truly a magnificent introduction and more than worthy of the honors heaped upon it.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

1402 White Feather. A pure white variety. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 75c.



1256 Cheiranthus, Golden Bedder

COBAEA – Cup-and-Saucer Vine

Treat as Annuals Climbing vine 20 feet

Rapid growing vines for training over fences or trellises, with attractive and unusual foliage, and handsome blooms, light green in the bud, but opening to large purple or white bells.

1408 Scandens. Purple flowers. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

1410 Scandens alba. White. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 85c.

COLEUS – Flame Nettle

Tender Perennial Bedding or pot plants 2 feet

Showy foliage plants, much used in formal bedding and also as pot plants for house or conservatory decoration. The leaves are very colorful and are marked or splashed with shades of red, yellow, or green.

1422 Choice Mixed. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



1400 Cleome, Pink Queen

CONVOLVULUS

Treat as Annuals Rock garden and edging 1 foot

Dwarf spreading plants which are very free flowering and are very effective in the rock garden. They are also excellent for low edgings or for growing in window boxes or hanging pots. The flowers resemble small Morning Glories, but remain open all day in good weather. A bright, sunny exposure is best.

1430 Minor, Mixed (Dwarf Morning Glories). Handsome flowers in shades of blue, purple, rose and white.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 45c.

CORAL FLOWER

Half-hardy Annual Border plants 2 feet

1432 Coral Flower. A new annual flower of exquisite, jewel-like daintiness and vivid coloring. The foliage, too, is decorative—rich, dark green leaves in dense clusters at the base of the plant—and from these clusters rise slim wiry stems bearing minute, starry flowers of rosy pink. These blooms are followed by berry like capsules, each like a bead or coral polished to intense brilliancy; hundreds of them on each of the spire-like stems. Suitable for both bedding and cutting. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

COREOPSIS – Perennial

Hardy Perennial Border plants 3 feet

Fine, bushy spreading plants of upright growth bearing an abundance of large, golden yellow flowers from early June until Fall. Excellent for bold color masses in the border.

1435 Mayfield Giant. An improved form of this popular perennial with large, deep golden flowers like immense yellow Cosmos.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

1438 Sunburst. A handsome large-flowered Coreopsis with double flowers of rich gold.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

1442 Auricula superba. Bright golden yellow flowers with serrated crimson bands encircling their golden central discs.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.

CORN

1445 Ornamental Indian. This Corn produces large ears with multi-colored kernels in an endless number of interesting shades. A great demand, when dried, for Autumn and Winter decorations. Oz. 15c.



Sensation

With their wavy, fluted petals, these enormous blooms are more glorious than words can express. An early flowering strain that grows about 3 feet high.

- 1464 Dazzler.** Rich velvety crimson maroon. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.
1467 Pink. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.
1469 White. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.
1471 Mixed. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

Cosmos--the Queen of Autumn

Hardy Annuals Flower garden
 2½ to 6 feet

Graceful, tall, airy plants with handsome, large, saucer-shaped blooms. They flower from early Summer until late Fall, and are among the best of annual flowers for cutting.

Breck's Midsummer Giant

An early flowering strain forming bushy plants 4 feet tall. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 40c.
1456 Crimson **1460 White**
1458 Pink **1462 Mixed**

Mammoth Late Blooming

These lovely, old-fashioned Cosmos will make handsome plants 6 feet or more tall and will come into bloom in September.

1482 Mixed.
 Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.

Early Double or Anemone-flowered

Some of these blooms are fully double. Others have a broad frill of long petals with a small contrasting tuft in the center. A really exquisite strain. Height 2½ feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

1484 Crimson **1488 Pure White**
1486 Pink **1490 Mixed**

Flare Varieties

1492 Orange Flare. With its vivid, orange-colored blooms is an extremely welcome addition to the Cosmos family. The flowers on long, wiry stems are excellent for cutting. Height 3 feet.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 85c.
1493 Yellow Flare. A Cosmos with flowers of clear butter-yellow, identical in form of bloom and habit of growth with the popular "Orange Flare." Three foot plants with airy, serrated foliage and striking blooms on long, wiry stems. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.



1493 Yellow Flare

The "Golden Sweet Pea"

Half-hardy Annual 2 feet

1497 Crotalaria Retusa. A valuable, decorative annual with flowers much like Sweet Peas but entirely different in habit of growth. The plants are sturdy, erect, about 2 feet tall, with spire-like spikes, closely furnished with glossy, bright golden yellow blooms. It will flourish in hot, dry places where ordinary Sweet Peas will not thrive. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



1497 The "Golden Sweet Pea"

CYCLAMEN

Tuberous-rooted Pot plants 1 foot

Handsome greenhouse or conservatory plants with fine, thick, leathery foliage and large, showy blooms. Pkt. \$1.00, 100 seeds \$3.75

- 1504 Bonfire.** Brilliant salmon.
1510 Glowing Dark Red. Christmas red.
1516 Pure White.
1525 Breck's Giant, Mixed.

CYNOGLOSSUM

Treat as Annuals Flower garden 15 to 24 inches

Lovely Forget-Me-Not-like flowers which on most varieties are borne in loose sprays well above the fuzzy green foliage. They make splendid border plants and are useful as cut flowers.

- 1534 Amabile, Fairy Blue.** Cambridge blue. 2 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 45c.
1537 Amabile, Pink. A light pink. 2 feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.
1540 Firmament. Delightful Forget-Me-Not-like flowers which burst by thousands from low, deep green foliage clusters, and reflect the vivid blue of the sunlit heavens. 15 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

DAHLIA

Tender Perennial Tuberous plants 1½ feet

While usually grown from roots or cuttings, fine flowering plants may be produced in one season if seed is sown indoors in February or early March.

- 1556 Coltness Hybrids.** Compact plants. 18 inches high, bearing masses of single blooms throughout the season. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.
1565 Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids, Mixed. Single and semi-double blooms in a particularly wide range of beautiful colors. A fine bedding variety. Height 18 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

DAHLBORG DAISY

Half-hardy Annual Border and edging 6 inches

1570 Dahlborg Daisy. An outstanding little annual with tiny, glittering gold, star-like flowers generously scattered over a dense mat of attractive, finely cut foliage. Blooms continuously from early Summer until frost. Its splendid spreading character adapts it to use as a low edging. A unique rock garden plant. 1 kt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



1556 Dahlia and 1534 Cynoglossum

DELPHINIUM

Pacific Giants

1636 King Arthur Series. Rich royal-purple, white bee. The most brilliant. Pkt. 75c.

1639 Summer Skies Series. Soft sky-blue, white bee. Pkt. 75c.

1642 Round Table Series.

A wonderful mixture comprising all of the above series together with many more new color developments. Pkt. 75c.



**For Beds,
Borders,
Bouquets**

DELPHINIUM CHINENSE

Chinese Larkspur

Hardy Perennials Flower garden 1 to 2 feet

These lovely Larkspurs will bloom the first year from seed if started in March and are therefore often used as Annuals. Attractive plants with ferny foliage and graceful sprays crowded with blooms throughout the Summer.

1648 Azure Fairy. Lovely Cambridge-blue flowers on compact plants about a foot high. A fine variety for edging, bedding, mass planting and rockeries. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 50c.

1650 Blue Butterfly. Brilliant blue variety of compact habit. Excellent for beds, edgings and the rockery. 1 foot. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 50c.

1652 Cambridge Blue. A slender branching variety with small stems covered with bright blue flowers from June to August. 2 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 60c.

1654 White. A fine white form of the above. 2 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 60c.

The finest of all Delphiniums. The enormous double flowers are beautifully placed on tall, stately spikes which reach to truly great heights. The stems are slim and wiry and the plants are extremely resistant to mildew. These magnificent hybrids are sure to create enthusiasm wherever seen. 5 to 6 feet.

1621 Black Knight Series. Deep dark velvety blue. The darkest of all. Pkt. 75c.

1623 Blue Bird Series. Clear true blue, white bee. Pkt. 75c.

1627 Cameliard Series. Pure lavender, white bee. Pkt. 75c.

1630 Galahad Series. Giant glistening white. A great achievement. Pkt. 75c.

1633 Guinevere Series. Clear pink-lavender, white bee. Pkt. 75c.

Hardy Perennials

4 to 6 feet

These wonderful border plants are among the oldest of old-fashioned flowering plants and are becoming more popular now than ever before. They range in color from pale blue to the deepest dark blue through shades of lilac, lavender and purple, also pink and white, providing masses of striking, spire-like heads throughout June and July.

1610 Belladonna Improved.

A loosely branching variety with flowers of an exquisite shade of turquoise-blue. 4 feet or more. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.50

1612 Bellamosum Improved. Deep indigo-blue and similar in habit to Belladonna. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.25

1615 Hollyhock-flowered.

Sturdy growing, with huge spires of enormous flowers in many fine shades of blue, lilac and lavender. 4 feet. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., 1/16 oz. \$1.50

1619 Breck's Superb Hybrids, Mixed.

A superb blending of all the finest varieties. The colors range from delicate shades of blue and lavender to the most intense dark blue. 5 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.25



1642 Delphinium, Pacific Giants

DELPHINIUM

Annual (Larkspur)

Hardy Annuals Flower garden 3 feet

Refined, bushy plants, branching from the base with handsome, bright green, lacy foliage and tall, graceful spikes well filled with lovely, clear colored flowers. Sow the seed where the plants are to bloom and thin them out to stand a foot apart. Annual Larkspurs will lend a bright, cheery note to any garden and are excellent cut flowers.

Breck's Giant Imperial

1580 Bluebell. Light blue. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

1583 Blue Spire. Deep oxford-blue. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

1586 Carmine King. Carmine rose. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

1589 Exquisite Pink, Improved. Soft pink. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

1592 Exquisite Rose. Rose-pink. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

1595 Lilac Spire. Lilac. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

1598 Pink Perfection. Light salmon pink. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.25.

1601 Rosalind. Rose, suffused salmon. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 60c.

1604 White King. Glistening white. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

1607 Imperial Mixed. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

16081 COLLECTION, 6 separate varieties, 75c.



1607 Annual Delphinium (Larkspur)
Giant Imperial

**FLOWER SEEDS ARE POSTPAID ANYWHERE
IN U. S. A.**



1664 *Dianthus*
"Geisha Girl"

Treat as Annual 1 foot

Pkt. 25c.

3 Pkts. 60c.

Handsomeness, large, single and double blooms in a remarkably wide range of beautiful colors ranging from deep garnet through all the deeper and more brilliant shades of crimson scarlet and rose to the softer tones of pink and pure white. Many are edged, feathered or striped while others are marked with enamel-like blotches of contrasting colors. They are wonderful for beds or edgings and for dainty colorful cut flower display.

DIANTHUS - Annual China Pinks

Treat as Annuals Flower garden 1 foot

China Pinks are remarkable for the beautiful, enamel-like blotches on the petals of the single varieties and for the clear, sparkling color of the double types. Practically everblooming, continuing for many weeks in full flower, and if the seed pods are removed they will continue to bloom until frost. The plants produce their flowers in large loose clusters on stiff stems.

1667 Chinensis, Mixed. Fine, long-stemmed, double flowers borne in clusters. Very free-flowering variety in a wide range of choice colors. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 40c.

1673 Farquhar's Pink Beauty. Double. Lovely soft pink. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/8 oz. 45c.

1677 Salmon King. Double, rich salmon blooms. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

1679 Salmon Queen. Single. An exquisite shade of deep salmon with finely cut petals. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

1681 Snowdrift. Double. Pure white, beautifully fringed. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/8 oz. 45c.

1684 Double Mixed. Large, double-flowered varieties with plain, finely cut or fringed petals in all the most desirable colors. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 40c.

1687 Single Mixed. A choice assortment of all the large, single-flowered varieties in a marvelous range of colors. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 40c.

DIANTHUS - Perennial Garden Pinks

Hardy Perennials Rockery and border 9 to 18 in.

Low growing, dense tufts of gray-green, grass-like leaves, above which are produced, on long stems, beautifully fringed single and double flowers. Deliciously fragrant. For permanent beds and rock gardens these "Pinks" are unrivaled.

1694 Caesius (Cheddar Pink). Bright rosy pink flowers in dense clusters. May and June. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

1700 Plumarius scoticus. A strain of very fine, double-flowered Scotch Pinks in a wide assortment of self-colors, together with many of the same colors marked with bright crimson zones around the centers of the flowers. Very fragrant blooms up to 2 inches in diameter in May and June. Height 12 to 15 inches. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

1702 Plumarius semperflorens. An ever-blooming form with sweetly scented single and double flowers in many colors. Height about 18 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

1704 Plumarius Single, Mixed (Pheasant's Eye Pinks). Multicolored single flowers with contrasting eyes and a delicious, clove-like fragrance. Height about 18 inches. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 40c.

1706 Winteri. Large single flowers of delightfully pure colors. Compact plants about 9 inches high. This splendid perennial will flower the first year if the seed is sown early indoors. An ideal rock garden or edging plant. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

1715 DIDISCUS CAERULEA (Blue Laceflower)

An exquisite half-hardy annual with long slender stems terminating in flat flower clusters. These clusters are of a delicate soft blue color but in form they resemble the lovely "Queen Anne's Lace" which grows wild by our roadsides. A superb flower for cutting

DIGITALIS - Foxglove

Hardy Biennials Flower garden 4 to 5 feet

Dignified biennials with stately spires of drooping tubular flowers of many colors and markings, high above the luxuriant clumps of broad, downy leaves. They are extremely popular planted in masses in the border or among shrubs and are particularly valuable because they bloom in shady places. June and July.

1720 Breck's Selected, Mixed. A splendid strain with immense blooms ranging in color from white through shades of pink and rose to purple, handsomely spotted and marked. 5 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/4 oz. \$1.00

1724 Hybrida lutzii, Salmon. Fine new Foxglove growing to 4 feet with spikes laden with salmon-pink bells. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

1734 Gloxinia-flowered Mixed. A very handsome strain with large, open blooms, spotted and marked like Gloxinias. 4 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 50c.

1736 Purpurea. The common purple Foxglove. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 60c.

1742 Purpurea Mixed. All colors. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 60c.

DIMORPHOTHECA - African Daisy

Treat as Annuals Flower garden 12 inches

Splendid flower garden plants with large, Daisy-like flowers in a wide range of beautiful colors. Excellent for cutting.

1746 Glistening White. Extremely large flowers with glossy, pure white petals and shiny black centers. A fine white annual for the rock garden. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

1753 Orange Glory. Brilliant orange. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 50c.

1756 Salmon Beauty. True salmon. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 50c.

1758 Aurantiaca Hybrids. Wide range of colors, in shades of orange, primrose, salmon, apricot, buff and delicately tinted white flowers. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 60c.

DRACAENA (Cordyline)

Tender Perennial Conservatory plant Height varies

1778 Indivisa. An attractive greenhouse palm grown for its ornamental foliage and used principally for furnishing vases and window boxes. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.

ECHINACEA - Purple Cone Flower

Hardy Perennial Flower garden 3 feet

1782 Purpurea. Bushy plants, topped by huge, dull, purplish rose Daisies with high, dark, bronzy centers. Blooms from July until frost. Fine for cutting and landscape decoration. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.

ECHINOCYSTIS

Hardy Annual Rampant climber 20 feet

1787 Lobata (Wild Cucumber). A vine of astonishingly quick growth, with dense, dark green foliage and inconspicuous white flowers. Excellent for covering unsightly objects where its rank habit will not prove troublesome. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 40c.

ECHINOPS - Globe Thistle

Hardy Perennial Border plant 3 feet

1792 Ritro. A unique plant with thistle-like leaves and globular heads of silvery blue flowers in July and August. A few plants will lend an interesting silvery blue touch to the perennial border. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.

Pkt. 10c., 3 Pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 60c.

ESCHSCHOLTZIA

California Poppy

Hardy Annual Flower garden 1 foot

Annuals of easy culture if sown where they are to bloom. The bushy plants grow a foot high and as much across and are literally covered from June until frost with brilliantly colored single and semi-double flowers. Excellent cut flowers.

1818 Alba. Pure white. Spreading plants. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 50c.

1819 Dazzler. A brilliant shade of flaming scarlet. Plants erect. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.

1821 Golden Rod. Bright golden orange. Plants erect. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 60c.

1822 Golden West. Silky, golden yellow blossoms, orange at the center. Spreading plants. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 50c.

1836 Breck's Superb Mixture. Will create a most brilliant display. It contains many new colors from soft pink through yellow and reds to royal purple. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.25

EUPHORBIA

Annual Flower garden 2 to 3 feet

Ornamental foliage plants with showy leaves. The striking foliage makes them unusually attractive bedding and border plants.

1856 Heterophylla (Mexican Fireplant). Deep green foliage until Midsummer, when the top leaves turn to brilliant scarlet. 3 feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 50c.

1858 Variegata (Snow-on-the-Mountain). A hardy annual with handsome green leaves, the upper ones marked or margined with white. 2 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. \$1.00

FERNS

Tender Perennials Greenhouse Heights vary

1895 Greenhouse Varieties, Mixed. Spores of all the varieties suitable for glass house culture. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



Eschscholtzia Mixture
Selected from No. 1836



1909 Gaillardia (Annual) Double Mixed

GAILLARDIA - Annual

Blanket Flower

Hardy Annuals Flower garden 1 to 2 feet

Showy annuals constantly in bloom from early Summer until late Fall. Gaillardias are excellent for sunny beds and borders and are especially valuable as cut flowers for they last a long time in water.

1907 Indian Chief. Single, broad-rayed flowers of a sparkling shade of bronzy red. The dense, bushy plants grow about a foot high and are never out of flower. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

1909 Double Mixed (Lorenziana). Large, fully double flowers consisting of hundreds of tiny tubular florets. The flowers vary in color from white through the various shades of yellow, orange and red with contrasting stripes or markings of the same colors. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

1912 Breck's Superb Mixture. A well selected mixture of single and double varieties. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 60c.

GAILLARDIA - Perennial

Blanket Flower

Hardy Perennials Flower garden 2 to 3 feet

These hardy, wheel-shaped flowers are unexcelled for brilliant color effects from July to October, in the perennial border. The gay blossoms are also effective as cut flowers.

1915 Burgundy. Beautiful, large, rich wine-red flowers. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

1921 Portola Hybrid. Clear crimson blooms, feather edged yellow. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

1924 Breck's Exhibition Hybrids. A superb mixture of large showy flowers, in shades of rich wine red, clear yellow and vivid crimson with striking gold bands and edges. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 50c.

GAURA

Treat as Annual Flower garden 3 feet

1928 Lindheimeri. A graceful perennial plant blooming the first year from seed. The delicately shaped white, faintly rose-tinted blooms are borne on long, slender spikes and flower abundantly all Summer. Splendid for cutting. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 60c.

GERANIUM

Tender Perennials House and garden Heights vary

Popular house and garden plants, especially useful for window boxes.

1941 Zonale, Mixed. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

GEUM

Hardy Perennials Flower garden 1½ feet

Dwarf border plants with sprays of double flowers rising from rosettes of handsomely designed foliage. They bloom freely from May to October.

1952 Lady Stratheden. Fine, rich golden yellow blooms. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

1954 Mrs. Bradshaw. Large; brightest scarlet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 85c.

1958 Prince of Orange. Attractive; glowing orange. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. 85c.

GLOXINIA

Tuberous-rooted Greenhouse pot plant 12 inches

Magnificent plants for the house or conservatory. For richness of coloring the velvety, tubular blooms of the Gloxinia are unsurpassed.

1968 Breck's Giant Hybrids. A splendid mixture. Pkt. \$1.00, 3 pkts. \$2.50

GODETIA - Satin Flower

Hardy Annuals Flower garden 15 to 24 inches

These are superb garden annuals making bushy plants with blooms of satiny texture, strongly resembling those of the Azalea. Godetias flower best in a rather poor soil.

1986 Breck's Special Mixture. An excellent selection of superb double flowering varieties 2 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

1939 Azalea-flowered, Mixed. A dwarf double type in a wide range of bright colors. The flowers are produced so freely that they almost completely hide the foliage. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

Gourds

Annual Vines Climbing or trailing
10 feet

Rapid growing, annual trailing plants bearing weird, oddly-shaped fruits. Often planted for Summer screens on fences and trellises. The mature fruits are used as curiosities and ornaments.

2000 Breck's

De Luxe Mixture

A fascinating harvest of curious, brightly colored fruit may be grown so easily on these luxuriant climbing plants. Our De Luxe Mixture offers the finest selection possible. Interesting in the garden, decorative in the house. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2046 All Types, Mixed

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 40c.



2162 Hollyhock, Indian Spring

GYPSOPHILA – Annual**Baby's Breath***Hardy Annuals Flower garden 1 to 1½ feet*

Quick growing plants producing an abundance of dainty flowers in loose, graceful sprays. The bushy plants are very effective in the garden or rockery. As cut flowers the misty sprays combine ideally with such flowers as need foliage to show them off.

2072 Breck's Giant White. Large snow-white flowers unsurpassed for size of bloom. 1½ feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 50c.

2074 Elegans rosea. Delightful little rosy pink flowers on wiry plants. 1½ feet high. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. 75c.

2076 Muralis. Handsome, dwarf, mossy plants just studded with delicate soft, rose-colored blooms from early Summer until frost. An ideal variety for the border or rock garden. 1 foot. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 60c.

GYPSOPHILA – Perennial**Baby's Breath***Hardy Perennials Border and rock plants 2 to 3 feet*

Remarkable plants with grass-like foliage and myriads of starry flowers. They are excellent in borders and highly prized for cut flowers.

2078 Oldhamiana. Sprays of small light pink flowers in Autumn, on erect 2½-foot plants. A splendid cut flower. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ½ oz. 60c.

2080 Paniculata. Globular bushes, 2 to 3 feet high, with masses of tiny white flowers on loose sprays in July and August. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

2082 Paniculata fl. pl. This seed produces at least 70 per cent double flowers which are whiter and larger than the single type. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.50

2084 Pacifica. A later flowering variety than Paniculata. The small pink blossoms are carried gracefully on bushy plants 3 feet high. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

HELICHRYSUM – Strawflower*Half-hardy Annuals Everlastings 3 feet*

2118 Choice Mixed. The best known of all the everlastings, attractive in the garden as well as in Winter bouquets. Large, double flowers in a wide range of both subdued and brilliant colorings. The flowers should be cut before they are fully open and suspended downward in a cool place to dry.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

HEUCHERA – Coral Bells*Hardy Perennials Rockery and border 1½ feet*

Splendid, compact plants with tufts of ornamental evergreen foliage, from which rise slender stems, bearing tiny, bell-shaped flowers. They bloom from June to September.

2146 Sanguinea splendens. Bright coral red bells rising from deep green mats. A very desirable plant for the rockery or border. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

2150 Breck's Choice Hybrids. Exquisite shades varying from white through pink, rose, and scarlet to deep crimson. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

HIBISCUS – Rose Mallow*Hardy Perennials Border background 3 to 6 feet*

Shrub-like perennials with large, showy flowers somewhat resembling single Hollyhocks. They flower from July until September and present a gorgeous sight when in bloom.

2158 Mallow Marvels, Mixed. A wonderful race of gigantic Hibiscus in beautiful shades of red, rose, pink, bluish and white. Height 3 to 6 feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

HOLLYHOCK – Annual*Althaea Rosea**Hardy Annuals Flower garden 3 to 4 feet*

Annual Hollyhocks are relatively new garden plants. The older varieties are biennials. This new strain will make blooming plants 3 to 4 feet high the first season if sown early.

2162 Indian Spring. Extremely attractive, semi-double and double flowers showing shades of pink, bright rose and rosy carmine, on 3 to 4 foot flower spikes. These are followed by secondary side shoots which supply a wealth of bloom from July until frost.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

2166 Single Mixed.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 60c.

HOLLYHOCK – Biennial*Althaea Rosea**Hardy Biennials Border background 6 feet*

Tall, stately plants especially suitable for backgrounds in borders, for growing against walls or fences and for screening unsightly views. Their graceful spikes bear many round, smooth-petaled or frilled, single or double flowers.

Chater's Double

Huge, double flowers in every possible tint and shade. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

2174 Deep Rose**2176 Maroon****2178 Newport Pink****2180 Pure White****2184 Scarlet****2186 Sulphur Yellow****2188 Giant Mixed****21891 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors, 75c.****MORNING GLORIES—Ipomoea***Annual**Climbers**10 to 20 feet*

A remarkable group of quick growing vines of easy culture. Large, flaring, trumpet-like blooms in a wide assortment of beautiful colors. We also include under this listing the large pure white "Mexican Moonflower."

2245 Heavenly Blue. This most popular annual climber is literally covered all Summer long with glorious, clear, sky-blue flowers. An extra early strain, flowering in about 8 weeks. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 65c.

2248 Mexicana grandiflora alba (Moonflower). Large, satiny white, opening in the evening. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.00

2253 Scarlett O'Hara. 4-inch blooms of rich cornelian red with unique and pleasing foliage. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 65c.

2256 Imperialis, Mixed. Japanese Morning Glories have enormous flowers striped and flecked. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 60c.

2250 Pearly Gates. Immense blooms of such purity that one can well imagine them adorning the heavenly gateway. The vines reach a height of about 12 feet and are completely covered all Summer long with lustrous white flowers, made whiter by contrast with the fresh green of the foliage. In earliness, in profusion of bloom and in luxurious foliage, this admirable climber is identical with the older favorite "Heavenly Blue."

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2260 Purpurea, Mixed. Common Morning Glory. A fine strain of many colors.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 35c.

2245 Morning Glory, Heavenly Blue





2250 Morning Glory, Pearly Gates

HOLLYHOCK—Continued

2206 Allegheny Mixed. Single, semi-double and double fringed flowers in a wide range of colors. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c.

2208 Triumph Double, Mixed. Beautifully fringed rosette flowers in many new shades and bicolor combinations. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 75c.

HUNNEMANNIA

Mexican Tulip Poppy

Treat as Annuals Flower garden 2 feet

Large, yellow, Poppy-like flowers borne on bushy plants with beautiful blue-green foliage. Handsome in the border from June until frost. Superb as cut flowers.

2222 Fumariaefolia. Clear yellow. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c.

2226 Sunlite. Semi-double flowers of soft canary yellow. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.00

KOCHIA – Burning Bush

Hardy Annual Hedges and borders 2 to 3 feet

2282 Childsi. A rapid growing, bushy plant, symmetrical in form, with finely cut, bright green foliage in Summer, turning brilliant red in the Autumn. Because of its neat, uniform habit, Kochia is used for temporary hedges and tall borders along walks or drives. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 85c.

LARKSPUR

See **DELPHINIUM**, page 33

LATHYRUS Latifolius

Hardy Sweet Pea

Hardy Perennial Climbing plants 6 to 8 feet

Easily grown perennials, useful for covering low fences, trellises, rock piles, etc. The flowers carried in large clusters, are extremely showy and closely resemble Sweet Peas.

2303 Mixed. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c.

LAVENDER – Lavandula

Hardy Perennial Garden plants 1 to 2 feet

Favorite, old-fashioned herbs with pleasing, soft, silvery gray foliage and delicately sweet-scented flowers. When dried the flowers and buds retain their fragrance for a long time.

2320 Vera (Sweet Lavender). Delightfully fragrant, blue-lavender blooms in July and August. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

LAVATERA – Tree Mallow

Half-hardy Annual Garden plants 3 feet

Attractive, bushy annuals with large flowers resembling Hollyhocks—beautiful in long borders. The plants are easily grown by starting the seed in the open ground and bloom from early Summer until late September.

2308 Splendens alba. White. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c.

2310 Splendens rosea. Rose. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c.

2312 Breck's Sunset. Showy, deep rose pink. Very effective. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c.

LIATRIS

Hardy Perennials Flower garden 3 to 4 feet

Rugged perennial plants from the Western prairies, with small flowers borne close against wand-like stems. Attractive from August to October. Very effective when massed in the flower garden.

2335 Pycnostachya (Kansas Gay Feather). Dense, narrow spikes of rich purple—the flowers opening from the top down unlike most all plants. 4 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2337 Spicata (Blazing Star). Loose spikes of fluffy purplish rose flowers in Midsummer. 3 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



2312 Lavatera, Breck's Sunset

LILIUM – Lily

Hardy Perennial Flower garden 3 to 6 feet

2344 Regale. One of the most beautiful of Lilies and the easiest to grow from seed. Deliciously fragrant, white blooms, tinted brownish pink on the outside and soft yellow in the throat. A charming contrast with the rich, deep green foliage. A group planting in the border is a joyous sight in July. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

LINARIA – Annual

Miniature Snapdragon

Half-hardy Annual Flower garden 12 inches

Erect little annuals producing varied and beautiful flowers resembling tiny Snapdragons. Clumps of Linaria will add an interesting touch to the annual border and cut sprays make very dainty bouquets for table decoration.

2348 Breck's Hybrids. Slender annuals with spikes of dainty flowers in a wide variety of bright colors and pastel shades. 1 foot. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c.

LINUM – Perennial

Flowering Flax

Perennials Flower border 1 to 1½ feet

2371 Narbonne, "Heavenly Blue." A planting of this new variety gives the impression of a waving sheet of luminous ultramarine blue—certainly the finest shade yet. The flowers are about twice as large as Linum perenne and when seen in a mass the effect is really charming. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2372 Perenne caeruleum. A most reliable hardy perennial blooming from May to August. Bushy, 18 inch plants with slender, wiry stems and a multitude of clear blue flowers. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 60c.

LOBELIA – Annual

Treat as Annuals Edging and bedding 4 to 12 in.

Dainty, low-growing, bushy or trailing plants covered with irregular flowers which bloom profusely from early Summer until Fall. The compact types are most effective for edging and the trailing varieties are splendid for window boxes.

2376 Blue Gown. Deep glowing blue flowers. 4 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2378 Cambridge Blue. Compact plants with true Cambridge blue flowers. 4 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2380 Compacta, Blue Stone. An improved strain with masses of clear blue flowers. 4 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

2386 Mrs. Clibran. Splendid compact plants. Beautiful, deep blue flowers with clear white eyes. Dark foliage. 4 in. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2388 Sapphire. A fine, large-flowered, trailing variety. Sapphire blue with sparkling white eyes. 1 foot. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

LOBELIA – Perennial

Hardy Perennial Flower garden 3 feet

Handsome, native plants with fine spikes of brilliant flowers in late Summer. Excellent in moist, half-shaded places.

2397 Cardinalis (Cardinal Flower). Glistening cardinal red flowers. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

LUNARIA – Honesty

Hardy Biennial Everlasting 2½ feet

2405 Biennis alba. Grown chiefly for their transparent silvery seed pods which are so popular for Winter bouquets. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.



2222 Hunnemannia Fumariaefolia

Lupines

Annual Lupine

Half-hardy Annuals. Flower garden. 2 to 4 feet.

Quick growing annuals with attractive foliage and tall, graceful spikes of pea-shaped flowers.

2412 Farquhar's Yellow. Fragrant yellow blossoms. 2 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2422 Hartwegi Mixed. The popular old-fashioned variety. 2 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.

King Lupines

A fine, giant strain of Annual Lupines 3 to 4 feet high and bearing handsome, large spikes of bloom comparable in beauty and size to many of the perennial varieties.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c.

2425 Blue. Deep oxford blue.

2427 Sky Blue. Clear light blue and white.

2429 White. A clear pure white.

2431 Mixed. A mixture of all colors.

LUPINUS - Perennial

Perennial Lupine

Hardy Perennials. Flower garden. 4 feet.

These are gorgeous perennials rivaling the Delphiniums when seen at their best. 3-foot spikes handsomely set with many colored, pea-shaped flowers in June.

2435 Breck's Gold Medal Hybrids. Delicate shades as well as rich blue, mauve, pink and yellow. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c

Polyphyllus

2441 Blue. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.

2443 Rose. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.50

2445 White. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.

2447 Yellow. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2449 Mixed. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.00

Russell Lupine

2452 Mixture. The most sensational introduction for many years. The finest strain of perennial Lupines in the world. Long, symmetrical, closely furnished spikes in an indescribably rich variety of brilliant colors. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ to $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2491 to 2539—See page 40

2452 Russell Lupines



Choice

Hardy Annuals. Garden flowers. 8 to 48 inches

All Marigolds are easy and accommodating plants to grow. There is a form for every type of situation and they yield an astonishing show of color in shades of yellow, orange, maroon and brown; in Summer and Autumn. There are bold, handsome, tall plants for mixed border plantings and temporary hedges as well as dwarf forms suitable for beds, edgings and window boxes. All are excellent cut flowers.

Double African

2540 Sunburst, Lemon. Huge balls of bloom 4 to 5 inches in diameter, of clear lemon-yellow. 3 feet.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 85c.

2544 Sunburst, Orange. Immense blooms forming perfect globes of glowing orange. 3 feet.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 85c.

2548 Sunburst, Mixed. Both of the preceding mixed.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 85c.

2552 Sunset Giants. Gigantic, loosely formed flowers with broad, gracefully overlapping petals; sweetly scented. The colors range from deep orange to primrose. Height about 4 feet.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 50c.

2556 Orange Sunset. A selection from the magnificent "Sunset Giants." Deep lively orange.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 75c.

2558 Pot O'Gold. Dwarf, compact plants growing only 12 to 15 inches high and bearing loosely formed, full-centered blooms about 4 inches in diameter. A most penetrating shade of rich golden orange. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Carnation-flowered

2560 Gold. Glorious deep orange, double flowers, $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches across, with long, loosely but artistically arranged petals. It is very free flowering and grows about $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet tall. The foliage is odorless. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c.

2564 Golden Eagle. An early flowering Marigold with fully double, 4 inch flowers of luminous gold. Improved form of "Guinea Gold," and similar to it in habit and height. $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c.

2568 Guinea Gold. Superb flowers. 3 inches across of loose-ruffled form and so intensely yellow that they are almost orange. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c.

2570 Mayling. A new, medium tall Marigold with $2\frac{1}{4}$ inch blooms of the same clear, light yellow color as the ever popular "Yellow Supreme." Mayling has rare charm, an open, airy flower form. Midsummer blooming habit and completely odorless foliage. We consider it extra fine.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2572 Yellow Supreme. Giant perfectly formed flowers with broad, overlapping petals, so arranged that the bloom closely resembles a Carnation. The color is a soft clear shade of moonlight yellow. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c.



2556
Orange Sunset

Chrysanthemum-flowered



2600 Mammoth Mum. Honorable Mention, 1944, A.A.S. Mammoth lemon-yellow blossoms 4 inches or more across and fully 2 inches deep, resembling huge Chrysanthemums. Luxuriant deep green foliage on plants which reach a height of 3 feet and bear huge, long-stemmed "Mums" from August until frost. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2604 Limelight. Exquisite flowers with petals that interlace in such a way that their resemblance to a Chrysanthemum is remarkable. The lightest color of all Marigolds—a clear soft primrose yellow. Bushy plants 20 inches high. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c.

2605 Yellowstone. Honorable Mention, 1942, A.A.S. Clear, bright golden yellow Chrysanthemum-shaped flowers, $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches across and of a color so clean and rich that the blooms radiate an unbelievable brightness. $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Marigolds

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2614 Scarlet Glow

Double French

2606 Butterball. Bronze Medal, 1942 A.A.S. Handsome, uniform little plants bearing Scabiosa-like blooms of a clear, bright canary-yellow. The foliage is rich, deep green and very dense, and the $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch flowers are borne in great profusion. "Butterball" starts to bloom early in the season and is excellent for bedding or edging. Excellent, too, as a pot plant. 10 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

2607 Sunkist. New, very dwarf Marigold with rich, blazing orange flowers, $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches across. Plants grow from 6 to 12 inches tall, according to fertility and moisture and are well covered with showy, attractive blooms. They are even, compact and will be a notable addition to the group of plants suitable for low edgings. Early, continuous bloomer. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

DOUBLE FRENCH—Continued

2608 Harmony. A charming variety bearing unusual Scabiosa-like flowers with a central crest of deep orange surrounded by a collar of broad, brownish maroon petals. The plants are of a rounded, bushy form and perfectly regular in habit. Very free-flowering. Height 1 foot. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c.

2612 Harmony Hybrids. Of the same form and habit as "Harmony." The flowers are composed of several rows of broad outer petals surrounding the crested centers and range in color through shades of yellow, orange or maroon, many with contrasting stripes or blotches. Height 1 foot. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2613 Melody. Bronze Medal, 1942 A.A.S. Pure golden-yellow flowers of the Harmony type. Uniform, bushy plants that grow 12 to 15 inches high. They start to flower early in the season and continue to bear a luxuriant crop until frost kills them down. An excellent Marigold for beds and borders. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

2614 Scarlet Glow. The brightest red of all—a distinct, bright bronzy red changing to rich tangerine. The blooms are fully double, almost 2 inches across and are borne profusely. 12 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

2615 Spry. A new Marigold of distinctive form and coloring—a light golden orange, crested center surrounded by several rows of rich mahogany-red outer petals. The compact, 9-inch high plants have a spread of about 15 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

2616 Yellow Pygmy. A delightful pale lemon-yellow Marigold, of real interest because of its value as an edging plant. It grows only 8 inches high and bears quantities of double flowers. 1 inch across, above the pleasing green foliage.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$1.00

2620 Dwarf Lemon. 1 ft.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 40c.

2624 Dwarf Mahogany. 1 ft.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 40c.

2628 Dwarf Orange. 1 ft.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 40c.

2632 Dwarf Mixed. 1 ft.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 40c.

2636 Tall, Choice Mixed. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 35c.



2612 Harmony Hybrids

Single French

2648 Flaming Fire. Well branched plants, 2 feet tall, bearing large, single blooms varying from flaming red to red and yellow with contrasting patterns of these same colors like the ever-changing colors of a flame.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c.

2660 Signata pumila. Not really a French Marigold but a dwarf plant of similar habit with miniature orange-yellow flowers in profuse abundance. Fragrant foliage. 9 inches.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 50c.

2664 Signata pumila, Gold Dust. Beautiful, fern-like foliage, literally smothered with beautiful, little, two-toned golden yellow flowers. Very compact, rounded plants, ideal for edging. 9 inches.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$1.00



2607 Sunkist

COLLECTION 26672

Seven Marigolds

One Packet Each of
Those Pictured

\$1.00



2605 Yellowstone



2570 Mayling

Breck's Surprise Garden

2538

**THE PACKET THAT WILL PROVIDE A COMPLETE
FLOWER GARDEN AT A MINIMUM OF EXPENSE**

Literally hundreds of colorful flower varieties are combined in this package to create a most interesting and spectacular effect, and it is so very easy to achieve.

Simply prepare a piece of sunny ground by having it dug deeply and well-fertilized. After the surface has been carefully pulverized and raked smooth, scatter **Breck's Surprise Garden Mixture** over it, raking very lightly once by 10 feet or its equivalent.)

Watch out for familiar weeds and grasses and pull them out as soon as they appear. Within a few weeks, the growth of flowers will be so thick that weeds cannot survive. Then enjoy the harvest of beauty which will reward your earlier efforts. All Summer and Autumn without trouble, without care, these gay annual flowers will brighten your garden and your home.

Large packet 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ lb. \$1.00, ½ lb. \$1.75, 1 lb. \$3.50

**A 200-
Square Foot**

25c

**Flower
Garden**

MATTHIOLA

Evening-scented Stock

Half-hardy Annual. Flower garden. 1½ feet.

2491 Bicornis. Rosy lilac flowers which are deliciously fragrant in the evening. Indispensable for enhancing the night charm of the garden. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 60c.

MIGNONETTE

Hardy Annuals. Flower garden. 18 inches.

An old garden favorite, highly prized for its delightful fragrance. The plants resent moving and seed should be sown where they are to bloom.

2497 Breck's Colossal. Immense spikes of reddish green. The best for greenhouse use. 1½ ft. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

2499 Breck's Selected Giant Machet. Giant spikes of reddish flowers. 1½ feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 50c.

2503 Old-fashioned Sweet-scented. Free-flowering. 1½ feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 35c.

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Forget-me-nots are Myosotis

2539

Bretton Woods Mixture

OF ANNUAL FLOWERS

The annual flower borders of the hotels at Bretton Woods, New Hampshire, are nationally famous. The long beds make vistas of riotous color, enchanting in gay harmony and infinite variety. We have supplied this famous mixture for years and we recommend it unreservedly. It includes only flowers of the choicer types and of medium height, producing a continuous and artistic mass effect.

Large pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., ¼ lb. \$1.75.

MIRABILIS – Four O'Clock

Hardy Annual. Flower garden. 3 feet.

2519 Jalapa, Mixed. Four-o'clocks are well known old-time garden favorites. The crimson, pink, white, violet and yellow flowers are often blotched or striped. They remain closed until late afternoon. These bushy, free flowering plants are excellent for temporary hedges.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 35c.

MYOSOTIS – Forget-me-not

Hardy Biennial or Perennial. 6 to 12 inches.

Beautiful, hardy plants, treasured for their exquisite little flowers. Best treated like Pansies, by sowing in Midsummer and carrying the plants over Winter for early Spring bloom.

2526 Blue Spire. An erect form of Myosotis with an abundance of extremely vivid blue flowers. 12 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2535 Blue Ball. Compact globular plants, deep indigo blue. A gem for edging. 6 inches.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Nasturtiums Tropaeolum

Half-hardy Annual. Garden flowers. 1 to 10 feet.

Few plants reward the grower more liberally with beauty and downright pleasure than Nasturtiums. Their fragrant flowers are most freely produced and have many merits for cutting. The tall or trailing varieties are excellent for scrambling over stone piles, trellises, etc., and the dwarf types are splendid for bedding and edging. For best results plant in a rather poor soil in a sunny location.

Semi-Double

← **2680 Golden Gleam.** A variety which has captured the imagination of the world. The brilliant, golden-yellow flowers are produced in unbelievable abundance. They are sweetly scented and fully double.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., ¼ lb. \$1.00

2683 Indian Chief. Brilliant scarlet, dark foliage.

Pkt. 15c., oz. 50c., ¼ lb. \$1.50

2684 Moon Gleam. Light golden cream.

Pkt. 15c., oz. 50c., ¼ lb. \$1.50

2689 Salmon Gleam. Delicate golden salmon.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., ¼ lb. \$1.00

2692 Scarlet Gleam. Fiery scarlet.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., ¼ lb. \$1.00

2695 Glorious Gleam Hybrids. An exquisite mixture of brilliant shades.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., ¼ lb. \$1.00

26961 COLLECTION, 5 varieties (Semi-Double). 45c.

Semi-Double, Dwarf

Well-formed and delicately sweet-scented double flowers, borne profusely on plants that are uniformly dwarf and compact. 1 foot.

Pkt. 25c., oz. 75c., ¼ lb. \$2.25

2700 Golden Globe. Bright golden yellow.

2703 Golden Rose. Deep rosy orange, dark leaves.

2706 Mahogany Gem. Dark rich mahogany-red.

2709 Salmon Gem. Soft golden salmon.

2712 Scarlet Empress. Deep scarlet, very dark foliage.

2715 Gem Mixture. Excellent color range.

27181 COLLECTION, 5 varieties (Semi-Double dwarf). \$1.00

Old-Fashioned Single

Pkt. 10c., oz., 30c., ¼ lb. \$1.00

2737 Dwarf Rainbow Mixture

2752 Tall Rainbow Mixture





2519 *Mirabilis*, Four O'Clock

NEMESIA STRUMOSA

Hardy Annuals. Garden or greenhouse. 8 to 12 in.

Very beautiful, quick-growing, early blooming annuals, both for bedding and cool greenhouse culture. They bear large heads of colorful blooms which give a brilliant display over a long period.

- 2763 Choice Mixed.** Height 1 foot.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.
- 2774 Triumph Mixed.** Height 8 inches.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

NEMOPHILA – Love Grove

Hardy Annuals Flower garden. 1 foot

Charming, quick-growing annuals of spreading habit with inch-wide flowers in delicate colors, on stems less than 1 foot high.

- 2780 Insignis.** (Baby Blue Eyes). Clear blue flowers with white centers.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.

NICOTIANA – Flowering Tobacco

Hardy Annuals. Flower garden. 15 to 36 inches.

Deliciously fragrant flowers with long, slender tubes and five-pointed, starry faces. The foliage is large, bright green and velvety, somewhat resembling that of tobacco. No flower is more valuable for its penetrating fragrance in the garden at night.

- 2794 Breck's Snowstorm.** Dainty variety of the greatest value in all gardens, large or small. Forms low rosettes of foliage with showery sprays of small, snow white, starry flowers. Delightfully fragrant. Fine for cutting. Entirely different from the hybrids of *Affinis* and *Sanderae*. Height 18 inches.
Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

- 2796 Crimson Bedder.** The rich, lustrous, wine-red blooms are borne in great profusion. Plants are of dwarf, pyramidal habit, 15 to 18 inches high and are therefore valuable for mass bedding or for planting in small groups.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 85c.

- 2798 Affinis.** The old-fashioned Star of Bethlehem. Pure white. 3 feet.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts., 25c., 1/4 oz. 40c.

- 2800 Affinis Hybrids.** Pink, white, crimson and intermediate shades. 3 feet.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 50c.

NIEREMBERGIA – Cup Flower

Treat as Annual. Garden flowers. 6 inches.

Graceful plants of compact growth, with large, cup-shaped flowers. Start the seed indoors for early Summer bloom.

- 2815 Caerulea.** The lovely lavender-blue flowers with contrasting yellow throats emerge from a cushion of light green foliage and are in constant bloom until Fall. Splendid for the rock garden.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

- 2816 Purple Robe.** Bronze Medal, 1942 A.A.S. A fine, violet-blue color, several shades deeper than "caerulea." "Purple Robe" is a low cushion-like plant, with a spread of 8 inches. It blooms in about 15 weeks after sowing and remains in flower until frost kills it down. A grand edging plant for the sunny border. 6 inches.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

NIGELLA – Love-in-a-Mist

Hardy Annuals. Flower garden. 18 inches.

Fine, old-fashioned garden annuals with curious double flowers, nestled in feathery bright green foliage. The flowers last well when cut and are most attractive in mixed bouquets.

- 2824 Miss Jekyll, Blue.** Deep rich blue.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 50c.
- 2826 Miss Jekyll, White.** White form of the above.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 35c.
- 2828 Mixed.** Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 35c.

OENOTHERA – Evening Primrose

Hardy Perennial. Flower garden. 1 foot.

- 2832 Missouriensis.** An excellent low trailer, producing many large, bright yellow, Poppy-like flowers all Summer. Extremely showy and easy to grow. Splendid in the rock garden.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/16 oz. 85c.

PENTSTEMON – Bearded-Tongue

Hardy Perennials. Garden flowers. 2 feet.

Fine plants for the perennial border bearing graceful, wiry spikes of slender, long, tubular flowers. The foliage is light green and the plants have an airy, graceful appearance. They bloom during July and August. A Winter covering is advisable in New England.

- 2850 Sensation Mixed.** Large, Gloxinia-shaped blooms varying from pure white through pinks to crimson and from lavender to purple.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



2800 *Nicotiana*



2861 Pansies, Boston Prize

PANSIES

2858 Breck's Century of Progress, Mixed.

The painstaking care that has been given this mixture of super-Pansies convinces us that comparison with any other strain is utterly useless. The mixture has purposely been restricted to comparatively few colors, and each type of flower represented has undergone careful selection for gigantic size, texture and individual beauty. The blooms are truly colossal.
Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75

2861 Breck's Boston Prize Mixture.

Variety of flower-form, kaleidoscopic color-range, compactness of plant habit and resistance to drought are the outstanding characteristics of this prize-winning strain of truly Giant Pansies.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

Roggli's Swiss Giants

A superb group of Pansies producing huge flowers. Brightly colored and borne on long, erect stems.

- 2864 Alpenglühn.** Beautiful brownish red with darker eye.
Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

- 2867 Berna.** Deep velvety violet, without eye.
Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

- 2879 Jungfrau.** A wonderful large pure white.
Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

- 2880 Luna.** Huge blooms of soft sulphur yellow; no markings.
Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

- 2882 Thunersee.** Beautiful gentian-blue with dark eye.
Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

- 2885 Roggli's Swiss Giant Mixture.**
Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

Superb Mastodon

A magnificent strain of immense Pansies.

- 2887 Adonis, Improved.** Shades of light blue and lavender; many with ruffled edges.
Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., 1/16 oz. \$1.50

- 2893 Bronze.** Very large flowers in many shades.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

- 2896 Coronation Gold.** Handsome large pure yellow.
Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25, 1/16 oz. \$2.00

- 2899 Elk's Purple.** Immense purple blooms.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

- 2902 Giant White.** A very large, all-white Pansy.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

- 2905 Golden Gate.** Golden yellow, dark center.
Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., 1/16 oz. \$1.50

- 2917 Mlle. Irene.** A new henna-red shade.
Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c., 1/16 oz. \$1.50

- 2923 Superb Mastodon Mixture.**
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00

Giant Winter-Flowering

- 2929 Choice Mixture.** Gigantic blooms in a wide variety of shades and colorings, borne on sturdy 12-inch stems. The plants will grow to a height of 3 feet if supported. If sown in July, they will bloom from December on, in a cool greenhouse. Pkt. \$2.00

Petunias

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Flower Seeds, Postpaid

Treat as Hardy Annuals.

Garden flowers.

9 to 18 inches

Petunias are really half-hardy perennials and the seed which falls from the plants will often endure the Winter and germinate the following Spring, but the best Petunias are grown from fresh seed sown in the early Spring. They bloom from early Summer until late Fall.

Giant Ruffled

2930 Breck's Ruffled Giants, Mixed. Gigantic blooms of fantastic shape, brilliantly colored and richly veined in the throats. 18 inches. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

2933 Dwarf Giants of California. Excellent compact plants with gloriously ruffled, colorful flowers, richly mottled and veined. Fine for pot culture. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

2935 Glamour. The blooms are deeply ruffled and a rich salmon-rose, with soft tan veining on a creamy buff background deep in the wide-open throat. It begins to bloom early in the summer and continues to flower freely and without lapse until frost checks it late in the fall. "Glamour" is illustrated here in full color—a true reproduction of a direct color photograph. It really is the richest colored and the most gloriously beautiful Petunia that we have ever seen. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

2938 Quaker Lady. Beautiful soft rosy lilac shading to almost pure white at the edges; the open throat heavily veined with deep purple. Very large blooms, beautifully ruffled. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Giant Flowered, Single

2942 Breck's White Giant. A magnificent Petunia; exceptionally large flowers of pure snowy white. 18 inches. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

2945 Dainty Lady. Large, delicately fringed blooms of creamy white. 18 inches. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

2951 Dwarf Elk's Pride. Very large, wavy, dark purple blooms on really dwarf plants. 12 inches. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

2953 Dwarf Pink Glory. Brilliant rose-pink. Very large, handsome blooms on compact plants. 12 inches. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

2955 Lace Veil. Pure white, large fringed blooms, very free-flowering. 12 inches. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

2935 Glamour



2956 Purple Prince. Immense, deep violet blooms with slightly waved edges. The best available substitute for "Breck's Velvety Violet," which, because of the war, is not available this year. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

2957 Setting Sun. Immense, single fringed flowers of a very brilliant rose color; almost carmine-rose. Bushy plants. 10 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2960 Velvet Ball. Round, compact, ball-shaped plants about 8 inches high, covered with large, velvety blood-red blooms. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

Single Bedding

2963 Flaming Velvet. Velvety blood-red flowers. A really outstanding variety. 18 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

2969 Howard's Star. Rich rosy crimson with a pure white star in the center. 18 inches. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/8 oz. 50c.

2972 Radiance. Silver Medal, 1941 A.A.S. Very brilliant and rich rose, or cerise with brown-veined yellowish throat. Blooms early and very profusely. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2974 Topaz Queen. A startling shade of clear scarlet-rose. Probably the most brilliant of Petunias. The plants are completely covered with the glorious blooms. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



2930 Ruffled Giants



3008 Salmon Supreme

2978 Choice Mixed. A very complete and colorful mixture of bedding Petunias. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. 75c.

Dwarf Bedding

2980 Cheerful. Bronze Medal, 1944, A.A.S. Dwarf compact plants bearing an abundance of 2-inch single blooms of the loveliest clear, light salmon pink enlivened by deep rose veining in the throat. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2983 English Violet. Honorable Mention. 1943, A.A.S. A new and very lovely Petunia bearing 2 inch blooms of a distinctly new color, rosy mauve-violet. The plants are spreading and are very free flowering. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

2984 First Lady. Beautiful, clear, light pink blooms, 2 1/2 inches across on uniformly shaped plants. Silver Medal, 1939 A.A.S. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2987 Glow. Silver Medal, 1939, A.A.S. A dwarf compact, ball-shaped plant bearing bright rose-red flowers. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2993 Heavenly Blue. Compact plants bearing masses of light, silver-blue flowers. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

2994 Igloo. Bronze Medal, 1943, A.A.S. A new variety completely covered with small, creamy white, single flowers, from early Summer until Fall. The plants are compact and even, from 12 to 15 inches tall and when grouped, produce a perfect sheet of bloom. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

2999 Martha Washington. Delicately ruffled blush-pink flowers, wide open centers, veined wine-red and deepening to violet in the throats. 9 inches. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

3000 Periwinkle. Large five-pointed flowers of a clear vivid-blue. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

3002 Rose of Heaven. A clear deep shade of rich rose-pink. Excellent, compact habit. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

3005 Rosy Morn. Rose-pink with white throat. Popular. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/8 oz. 85c.

3008 Salmon Supreme. A handsome shade of soft salmon-pink. The loveliest color imaginable. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

3011 Snowball. Beautiful pure satiny white. Neat, compact habit. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

3014 Mixed. A splendid mixture. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/8 oz. 65c.



Balcony Petunias

A low, trailing type of Petunia particularly useful in window boxes as well as for formal beds and edging.

- 3047 Brilliant Rose.** Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/16 oz. \$1.00
- 3050 Cornflower Blue.** Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/16 oz. \$1.50
- 3053 Pure White.** Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/16 oz. \$1.50
- 3056 Velvety Red.** Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/16 oz. \$2.00
- 3059 Violet Blue.** Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/16 oz. \$1.50
- 3062 Choice Mixed.** Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/8 oz. \$1.50

Giant Double Flowering

- 3080 Giant Double Fringed Mixed.** Magnificent fringed and ruffled blooms in a colorful and varied assortment. The blooms are huge and we can confidently say that there is no finer strain of double Petunias. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25
- 3087 Madonna.** Large flowers of the purest white, elegantly frilled and fringed. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25
- 3089 Mixed Colors.** Exceptionally fine. Remarkable gigantic blooms of the finest texture. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.
- 3113 America.** Silver Medal, 1943 A.A.S. Medium sized, all-double blooms of rich mauve-pink borne by hundreds from early Summer until frost. Height 1 foot. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.



2972 Radiance

PHLOX Drummondii - Annual

Half-hardy Annual Garden flowers 6 to 12 inches

These superb garden favorites planted in beds or massed in the border, will make an amazing show of brilliant colors from July through September.

- 3124 Giant Art Shades.** A fine strain; large flowers with distinctive eyes. This grand mixture has a most wonderful color range of soft art shades. 1 foot. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 85c.
- 3126 Giant Rosy Morn.** Brilliant rose with white eye; a similar color combination to that found in the long popular Petunia Rosy Morn. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.
- 3127 Giant Salmon Glory.** Beautiful large flowers of pure salmon-pink, with a distinct, creamy-white eye. 1 foot. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Drummondii, Tall

- Gay, bright and very floriferous. Splendid type for bedding. 1 foot. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.
- 3130 Blood Red** **3140 Scarlet, White Eye**
- 3134 Pure White** **3142 Yellow**
- 3136 Purple** **3144 Mixed**
- 3138 Salmon-pink**

Drummondii, Dwarf

Especially valuable for edgings and low, compact formal beds. 6 inches. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

- 3152 Pure White** **3156 Scarlet**
- 3162 Choice Mixed.** All colors.

- 3165 Starred and Fringed Mixed.** Unique blooms with oddly pointed, slashed and fringed petals in a gay assortment of clear bright colors. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

PHYSALIS - Chinese Lantern

Treat as Annual Ornamental seed pods 2 feet

- 3174 Francheti.** Grown exclusively for its brilliant, orange-red seed vessels, which are extremely effective in vases when dried, retaining their color all Winter. In some localities these fine plants prove perennial, but as their hardiness is dubious, we recommend annual sowings outdoors in early April. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

PLATYCODON—Balloon Flower

Hardy Perennial. Garden flowers. 2 feet

- Bushy plants with beautiful blooms on wiry, erect stems. In the bud stage, the flowers are like inflated balloons, opening to handsome flaring blue or white bells. They begin flowering in the middle of June and continue throughout the Summer.
- 3184 Grandiflorum caeruleum.** Large, showy deep blue flowers. 2 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. \$1.00
- 3186 Grandiflorum album.** White-flowered form of the above. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., 1/4 oz. \$1.00

POPPY - Annual

Hardy Annual. Garden flowers. 2 1/2 feet

For sheer grace of habit and dainty, silky texture of petals, no flower can come within miles of the annual Poppy. The modern strains abound in delicate tints and unexpected hues, much daintier, softer and more exquisitely lovely than the old types. Sow the seed very early in Spring, where the plants are to bloom, as they cannot be transplanted successfully.

- 3205 Farquhar's Peerless Mixture.** A wonderful blend of single and double Poppies in a bewildering range of colors, including delicate tints as well as dazzling hues. Superb for broadcasting or naturalizing for spectacular garden effects. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. 75c.
- 3208 Breck's Selected Shirley, Mixed.** Shirley Poppies are exquisitely beautiful with their broad, silky frilled flowers. Many are flecked and edged with contrasting colors. Special care is taken to include all the newer tints and art shades which are so delicate and lovely. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.
- 3220 Flanders Field.** A selection from the brilliant wild Field-Poppy of Belgium and Flanders. Glowing orange-scarlet, black centers. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. \$1.00
- 3225 Breck's Superb Double, Mixed.** A marvelous mixture of beautiful all-double flowers in an astonishing range of colors. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/4 oz. 50c.



3144 Phlox Drummondii, Tall

POPPY - Perennial

Poppy Alpinum - Alpine Poppy

Hardy Perennials. Rock garden. 6 to 10 inches

- 3258 Mixed.** Charming, compact plants with tufted foliage and silky orange, yellow and cream flowers poised on 6 to 10 inch stems. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Poppy Nudicaule - Iceland Poppy

Hardy Perennials. Flower garden. 18 to 30 in.

Extremely beautiful plants, flowering in June and throughout the Summer. Tufted clumps, from which graceful stems bear aloft, large silky flowers of the most delicate appearance.

- 3263 Amurense, Yellow Wonder.** Long-stemmed, large flowers of bright buttercup yellow. 2 ft. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.25
- 3269 Coonara Pink Hybrids.** Exquisite shades of rose and pink. 1 1/2 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.00
- 3272 Emperor.** Large, rich, tangerine orange flowers. 1 1/2 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.00
- 3275 Red Cardinal.** Rich, deep, cardinal red blooms, with golden stamens. Intensely brilliant. 1 1/2 feet. Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.
- 3281 Sunbeam Mixed.** A fine mixture. 2 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.00
- 3285 Breck's Selected Giants, Mixed.** A truly giant strain, 2 1/2 feet high with strong, long stems and immense flowers. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.00

Poppy Orientale - Oriental Poppy

Hardy Perennials. Flower garden. 36 to 48 in.

The most gorgeous of all Poppies. Their enormous blooms and rich, brilliant colorings are startling in the garden.

- 3289 Beauty of Livermere.** Enormous dark crimson flowers with glistening black centers. 4 feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.
- 3292 Mrs. Perry.** Beautiful salmon-pink. One of the finest. 3 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.
- 3295 Oriental.** Enormous blooms of the brightest crimson-scarlet with black central blotches. 3 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.
- 3301 Orientale Hybrids, Mixed.** A wide range of the finest colors. Immense blooms. 3 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

PERENNIAL PHLOX PLANTS

On Page 63 we offer a Special Collection of Six Outstanding Varieties for \$1.95 postpaid. Don't miss it!

Malacoides

Since "Fairy Primroses" were introduced they have steadily gained in popularity and have become great favorites. The graceful plants flower freely and remain in full bloom a long time. 1½ feet.

3345 Erikssoni, Brilliancy. The flowers open lavender-pink, and change to brilliant red.

Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75

3347 Erikssoni, Pink. Beautiful true pink.

Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75

3349 Erikssoni, Snow King. The finest pure white variety.

Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75

3353 Double, Fairy Jewels. The attractive double, rich rose-pink flowers literally smother the plant with bloom.

Pkt. \$1.50

PYRETHRUM – Golden Feather

Treat as Annual. Ornamental foliage. 12 inches.

3400 Aureum. A fine, low edging plant with finely cut, bright yellow, fern-like foliage.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. \$1.00

PYRETHRUM – Painted Daisy

Hardy Perennials. Garden flowers. 2 feet.

June-blooming, single and double, Daisies of the Chrysanthemum family, with long, graceful stems and attractive, ferny foliage. Flowers are extremely showy in the garden; superb for cutting.

3408 Single Mixed. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

3410 Single and Double Mixed. Selected from the finest types. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

RICINUS – Castor Oil Plant

Half-hardy Annual. Foliage plants. 5 to 10 feet.

Ornamental foliage plants which have a most exotic appearance in northern gardens. They grow quickly from seed and attain astonishing heights, producing foliage of tropical effect and curious, spiny clusters of flowers and seeds. An abundance of water and generous feeding is necessary to produce tall plants.

3414 Borboniensis. Large, dark green foliage and stems. Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., ¼ lb. \$1.00

3416 Sanguineus. Tall, with red stems and reddish purple foliage.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 35c., ¼ lb. \$1.00

3418 Zanzibarensis Mixed. Enormous leaves varying in color from light green to brownish purple. Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., ¼ lb. 75c.



3320 Portulaca, Single

PORTULACA – Rose of Mexico

Hardy Annuals. Bedding, edging, rockery. 6 inches

The Rose of Mexico is a beautiful, quick-growing plant perfectly at home in hot, dry, sunny situations. The thick, succulent moss-like foliage is almost hidden by glistening single or double, rose-like blooms all Summer. Superb for ground covers after Spring bulbs have died down.

3318 Double Flowered Mixed. Miniature "rose-buds" opening to gorgeous double blooms. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

3320 Single Flowered Mixed. A glorious display of blooms in a wide range of brilliant colorings. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

PRIMULA – Hardy Primrose

Hardy Perennials. Garden flowers. 6 to 10 inches

Hardy Primroses are among the loveliest of Spring-flowering plants. The graceful clusters of small, dainty blossoms are rare gems for bedding designs in the May garden. They are not difficult to grow if planted in good, rich soil in partially shaded spots and given plenty of moisture. Light protection in the Winter is advisable.

3330 Vulgaris (acaulis). English Primrose. Charming light yellow flowers in clusters. Fine for naturalizing in woodlands. 6 inches.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

3336 Polyanthus Giant, Mixed. Rosettes of rough foliage and clusters of handsome, large, fragrant flowers in shades of cream, yellow, dark orange and white. A popular variety for garden purposes. 10 inches.

Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

3338 Veris, Mixed (Cowslip). Clusters of drooping flowers ranging in color from rich red and deep yellow through soft yellow and cream to white. 6 inches.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

GREENHOUSE PRIMULAS

Greenhouse. Pot plants. 9 to 18 inches

Primulas are among our most important Winter-blooming plants. Fine subjects for a cool house or conservatory.

3366 Obconica Gigantea Mixed. Highly prized as pot-plants for conservatory or house decoration. Handsome, large sprays of exquisite colors. 1 foot. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

3380 Sinensis Mixed. The lovely fringed Chinese Primrose. A superb strain with massive flowers and beautiful, deep green, serrated leaves. 9 inches. Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75

3393 Stellata Mixed. The "Star" Primula is a favorite form of P. sinensis. Greatly admired for its loose, graceful sprays and beautiful clear colors. 9 inches. Pkt. 75c., 3 pkts. \$1.75



3420 Rudbeckia, Golden Sunset

RUDBECKIA – Annual (Coneflower)

Hardy Annuals. Garden plants. 1½ to 3 feet.

Bright, Daisy-shaped annuals which grow quickly from seed, blooming during the Summer and Fall. The neat, compact plants are extremely attractive in the border. Excellent for cutting.

3420 Golden Sunset. Showy, large, golden-yellow flowers with a chestnut central zone. 1½ feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ½ oz. 50c.

3424 Kelvedon Star. Deep golden-yellow, with dark brown center, surrounded by a zone of deep mahogany. Single and semi-double flowers on long stems. Splendid for cutting. 2½ feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ½ oz. 75c.

3428 My Joy. Large, deep golden-yellow ray florets with a striking, rich, dark maroon cone. 1½ feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ½ oz. 75c.

3429 Starlight. Large, semi-double and double flowers, primrose yellow with the base of the petals and central zone rich mahogany, 3 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



3472 Salpiglossis, Mixed

Colorful
Salpiglossis
(PAINTED TONGUE)

Half-hardy Annuals. Flower garden. 3 feet

An aristocratic member of the Petunia family. Erect branching plants with funnel-shaped flowers of velvety texture, so intricately crimped, veined and modified by overlaying colors that they seem to be stamped from iridescent metal. For early bloom, sow the seeds indoors in March, but the plants will bloom nicely if seed is sown outside as soon as the ground is warm.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

3445 Light Blue

and Gold

3448 Primrose

3451 Purple and

Gold

3454 Rosy Crimson

and Gold

3457 Scarlet and Gold

3460 Velvety Red

3463 Velvety Violet

3466 Violet and Gold

3469 White and Gold

3472 Mixed

34731 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors, 75c.

SALVIA – Sage

Treat as Annuals. Flower garden. 1½ to 3 feet

The tall spikes of showy flowers and contrasting foliage make a striking display of color all Summer until cut down by frost. They are fine for bedding and for the border.

3480 Farinacea. Long spikes of exquisite, soft lavender-blue; gray-green foliage. 3 feet.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

3483 Farinacea, Blue Bedder. Glorious Wedgwood blue. A compact variety, excellent for bedding. 2 feet.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.75

3486 Farinacea, Royal Blue. A richer shade of deep blue than the lovely Farinacea. The long, graceful flower spikes and powdery gray foliage make a beautiful showing in the garden. 3 feet.
Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

3492 Splendens. The well-known popular Scarlet Sage. Vivid scarlet. 3 feet.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

3495 Splendens, Bonfire. An improved Scarlet Sage, of dwarf habit, with an abundance of blazing red flowers. 2 feet.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. \$1.50

3498 Splendens, Harbinger. A very early flowering variety of dwarf, compact habit. Brilliant scarlet. 1½ feet.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.50

SALVIA – Perennial

Hardy Perennial. Border plants. 3½ feet

3504 Azurea grandiflora. Slender plants with long spikes of exquisite azure-blue flowers in August and September. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

SANVITALIA—Trailing Zinnia

Hardy Annual. Edging and rockery. 6 inches.

3510 Procumbens fl. pl. A superb edging and ground-cover plant, with handsome dark foliage and low, trailing branches; covered throughout the season with an enormous number of tiny, double, deep yellow Zinnia-like flowers which last for weeks without fading.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 65c.

SCABIOSA – Annual

Mourning Bride

Half-hardy Annuals. Flower garden. 3 feet.

Scabiosas are among our most pleasing garden annuals. The lovely colored blooms which are borne on long, graceful stems are exceedingly nice for cutting and charming in the border.

3518 Azure Fairy. Clear sky-blue.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

3522 Blue Moon. Deep lavender-blue.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.25

3524 Cherry Red. Rich glowing color.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 45c.

3526 King of the Blacks. Reddish black.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 45c.

3528 Loveliness. Salmon-rose shades.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

3536 Shasta Improved. Pure white.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

3538 Yellow. Sulphur yellow.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

3540 Breck's Special Mixture.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 40c.

35411 COLLECTION, 6 separate varieties,
50c.



3598 Sidalcea, Stark's Hybrid

SCABIOSA – Perennial

Hardy Perennials. Flower garden. 2 to 2½ feet.

These handsome perennial flowers resemble the well-known annual Scabiosas. The colors are pleasing and will blend well with other flowers in the border. The graceful, long, slender stems are excellent for cutting. June to September.

3565 Caucasica Perfecta. Exquisite lavender, fringed petals.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

3571 Isaac House Hybrids. Excellent strain with enormous flowers in lovely shades of blue, mauve, lavender and white. 2½ feet.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

SCHIZANTHUS – Butterfly Flower

Half-hardy Annuals 1½ feet.

Delicately fashioned, free-flowering annuals with dainty blossoms like miniature Orchids produced so profusely as to almost completely cover the attractive foliage. Their airy gracefulness is delightful in the garden in Summer and charming for pot culture in the greenhouse, or conservatory during the Winter.

3578 Breck's Excelsior, Mixed. Splendid large flowers, brilliantly mottled and blotched like fancy Pelargoniums. Unsurpassed for greenhouse culture.
Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

3580 Pansy Flowered. Fine large, Pansy-like blooms in a wide range of extremely brilliant colors; rich self-colors and diversified shades as well as white.
Pkt. 35c., 3 pkts. 85c.

3584 Wisetonensis Hybrids. A wide range of bright and showy colors. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

3586 Choice Mixed. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.

SIDALCEA

Hardy Perennial. Border plants. 2 to 4 feet.

3598 Stark's Hybrids. Graceful plants with many spikes of small, Hollyhock-like flowers from June until Autumn. The flowers are produced in many colors ranging from blush pink to crimson.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

STATICE – Annual

Sea Lavender

Treat as Annual. Everlastings. 3 feet.

Branching plants producing graceful clusters of dry, chaffy flowers. Excellent cut flowers. When dried, they are very useful for Winter bouquets.

3612 Sinuata Blue, Improved. Fine clusters of deep blue flowers. Excellent for cutting. 3 feet.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 40c.

3624 Sinuata Mixed. All colors.
Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 40c.

New! DWARF SCABIOSA



3545 Heavenly Blue

Half-hardy Annuals 1½ feet

3545 Heavenly Blue. This splendid variety bears handsome flowers of clear azure blue. It was awarded a bronze medal in the 1940 All America Selections.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

3548 Peace. A new pure white variety, of the same splendid dwarf habit and flower form as the preceding variety, "Heavenly Blue." It received Honorable Mention in the 1941 All America Selections.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



3548 Peace

Stocks

Gilliflower

Half-hardy Annuals. Flower garden. 2 to 2½ feet.

One of the most popular of old-fashioned garden annuals. Deliciously fragrant flowers on clustered spikes, in a wide variety of delicate shades. Stocks enjoy a well enriched soil which has been thoroughly limed. They thrive best in cool, moist weather and should never be planted in a particularly warm situation, fully exposed to the heat of the Midsummer sun.

3640 Breck's Apricot Beauty. The finest Stock ever introduced to American gardens. Plants grow quickly, come into bloom early, and continue to flower until cut down by a hard freeze. The flowers are double, of delicate apricot-pink and cream.

Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

Perfection (Cut-and-Come-Again)

An extremely beautiful strain with spikes of unusually large flowers from Midsummer until frost.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ½ oz. \$1.00

3642 Blood Red	3650 Rosy Pink
3644 Canary Yellow	3652 Silvery Lilac
3646 Dark Violet	3654 White
3648 Pale Blue	3656 Mixed

36571 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors, 75c.

Giant Column (Non-Branching)

A fine type, particularly adapted for greenhouse culture; each plant producing a single, enormous spike, 2 to 3 feet high. It is possible, therefore, to grow the plants close together, thus conserving space in the greenhouse.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

3660 Gardenia White	3666 Silvery Lilac
3662 Rose Pink	3667 Moonlight
3664 Ruby	3668 Mixed



3693 Stocks, Giant Imperial

Giant Imperial

An excellent early-blooming class noted for its high percentage of double flowers and sturdy free-flowering habit. 20 inches.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ½ oz. \$1.00

3677 Antique Copper	3687 Lavender
3679 Blush Pink	3689 Old Rose
3681 Canary Yellow	3691 White
3683 Royal Purple	3693 Imperial Mix-
3685 Fiery Red	ture. All colors.

36941 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors, 75c.

SUNFLOWER – Helianthus

Hardy Annual. Display and cutting. 4 to 8 feet.

Somewhat coarse plants of robust habit, with bold flowers. The dwarf types bloom from June throughout the Summer. They are fine for cutting and showy in the border.

Single

3740 Cucumerifolius (Miniature Sunflower). Small, rich yellow flowers with black centers. 4 feet. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., oz. 75c.

3742 Giant Russian. The common, tall Sunflower; enormous blooms. 8 feet. Oz. 10c., ¼ lb. 25c., lb. 75c.

3745 Pastel Shades. Coral, pink and rose shades; all with a suffusion of primrose or buff. 4 to 5 feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

Double

3755 Sun Gold. A new variety with large double flowers in a brilliant shade of golden yellow. Very free flowering. Height 4 to 5 feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., oz. \$1.00

Sweet Williams

Dianthus Barbatus

Annual Varieties

Hardy Annual. Garden flowers. 1 foot.

3915 Breck's Annual, Mixed. A strain of this well-known and popular plant that will bloom the first year, from seed. Large, fragrant flowers in many colors, beautifully marked. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

Biennial Varieties

Hardy Biennial. Garden flowers. 4 to 24 inches.

Fine, old-fashioned biennials of easy culture with broad, flat-clustered heads of fragrant flowers in many brilliant colors.

3920 Dark Crimson.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

3922 Giant White. Immense heads of pure white blooms which are almost twice the size of ordinary varieties.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

3924 Newport Pink. A brilliant Watermelon-pink. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00,

3926 Pink Beauty. Rich pink.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

3928 Scarlet Beauty. Brilliant scarlet.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

3930 Holborn Glory. A mixture of fine colors each flower marked with a clearly defined eye. Very large blooms.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

3932 Breck's Choice Mixture. A beautiful mixture of all colors and markings.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., ¼ oz. 50c.

3934 Double, Mixed. A choice mixture of double-flowered varieties in a wide assortment of colors. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 75c.

3936 Dwarf Alpine, Mixed. An interesting assortment of miniature Sweet Williams growing only about 4 inches high. A very fine rock garden type. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

THERMOPSIS

Hardy Perennial Border plant. 4 feet.

3948 Caroliniana. An erect perennial with long spikes of yellow flowers like Pea blossoms during June and July. Fine companion for Delphiniums. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

TROLLIUS

Hardy Perennial. Garden flowers. 2 feet.

3992 Ledebouri. A splendid variety with showy, orange-yellow flowers in July and August. Will thrive in either sunshine or shade and enjoys a moist soil. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

Breck's Sweet Peas

Hardy Annual

Climbers

6 feet.

Sweet Peas are too well known to require description, but the delicious fragrance, captivating colors and graceful daintiness of the modern varieties are certainly worthy of mention. In recent years the improvement in these flowers has been almost unbelievable and garden lovers may depend on getting the finest and largest flowering varieties if they make their selection from the following list of choice Sweet Peas. It is important that Sweet Peas be planted in good, rich, deeply prepared soil. Late March or early April is none too early for sowing. Complete cultural directions will be sent without charge, on request.

GIANT SPENCER

3760 Breck's Exhibition Mixture. This is the finest possible combination of colors, assembled from varieties of the Giant Spencer type, embracing the entire color range.

Pkt. 10c., oz. 25c., ¼ lb. 75c., lb. \$2.50

Early Flowering Spencer

Pkt. 15c., ½ oz. 45c., oz. 75c.

3875 Ball's Orange, Improved. Deep orange.

3881 Boon. Deep coral pink.

3887 Hope. Pure white, black seeded.

3893 Lavanda. Pure clear lavender.

3896 Mrs. Herbert Hoover. Clear deep blue.

3902 Shirley Temple. Soft rose-pink.

3905 Choice Mixed.

Giant Spencer

Pkt. 10c., oz. 60c., ¼ lb. \$1.75

3773 Cissie. Soft creamy pink.

3778 Damask Rose. Rich carmine-rose.

3783 Fortune. Rich dark blue.

3785 Gigantic. Large, pure white.

3787 Headlight. Cerise-scarlet.

3792 Heavenly Blue. Soft Delphinium-blue.

3811 Highlander. Fine clear lavender.

3825 Olympia. Rich purple.

3841 Peggy Ann. Glowing salmon-pink.

3844 Pinkie. Large, rose-pink.

3846 Pirate Gold. Deep golden orange.

3848 Red Supreme. Deep glowing crimson.

3852 Sunkist. Cream, edged rose.

3856 Welcome. Dazzling scarlet.



4048 Verbena, Mammoth Mixed

4055 Blue Sentinel. Large heads of rich violet blue flowers with white eyes. Dwarf erect plants, 10 inches high. Excellent for cutting. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 60c.

4058 Royal Bouquet. Erect plants about 15 inches high, bearing brilliant heads of bloom in a wide variety of colors. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 60c.

Verbena

Treat as Annuals. Garden plants. 10 to 48 inches.

Handsome bedding plants, mostly trailing, with dark green foliage and broad clustered heads of brilliant and clear colors. If the seed is sown indoors in early March, they will start to bloom in June and continue until checked by frost.

Mammoth

4016 Beauty of Oxford Hybrids. Beautiful giant hybrids varying in color from brilliant rose-pink to a rich rosy red.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

4020 Brilliant. Rich deep flame-rose with white eye. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

4024 Etna. Intense scarlet with creamy yellow eye. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

4028 Giant Salmon-pink. A rich uniform shade. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

4032 Lavender Glory. Handsome, large-flowered lavender with creamy white eye, slightly variable. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

4036 Royale. Royal blue with creamy yellow eye. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

4040 Snowdrift. Large white blooms. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

4044 Spectrum Red. Intensely brilliant red with no eye. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.

4048 Mixed. All the above colors and many other handsome shades. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., 1/8 oz. 75c.



4061 Verbena, Bonariensis

4061 Bonariensis. A handsome new species with slender branching stems which attain a height of about 4 feet and bear numerous terminal sprays of heliotrope flowers during July and August. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

4067 Venosa (Rigida). An erect plant 1 foot or more high, bearing dense spikes of purplish flowers. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

TRITOMA - Red-Hot-Poker Plant

Perennial. Border plant. 3 feet.

Striking perennial, with tall, flame-like spires of tubular blooms. Beautiful, planted in front of shrubs or in the perennial border. Protect by a light mulch in Winter.

3987 Pfitzer's Hybrids. Very large, brilliant red. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

VIOLA - Tufted Pansies

Hardy Perennial. Garden flowers. 6 inches.

Beautiful little Summer flowering plants midway between Pansies and Violets with very appealing flowers in a wide range of color. They are excellent for edgings and rock gardens or for growing in the shelter of low shrubs. They enjoy half-shady, moist situations.

4102 Admiration. Deep, dark blue. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

4105 Arkwright Ruby. A blending of ruby-red and glowing terra cotta. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

4108 Blue Perfection. Clear medium blue. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

4110 Chantreyland. Pure apricot. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

4113 Floraire. A gem, blooming profusely all Summer; small pale blue blooms. Pkt. 50c., 3 pkts. \$1.25

4116 Jersey Gem. The finest Viola of all. Beautiful large, long-stemmed flowers of clear violet-blue on dwarf, compact plants. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

4122 Lutea Splendens. Clear sulphur-yellow. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

4128 White Perfection. Pure white. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

4130 Breck's Special Mixture. A wonderful blend of gay, bright colors; clear shades of red, yellow, blue and apricot as well as many that are marked or blotched. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., 1/8 oz. \$1.75

VERONICA - Speedwell

Hardy Perennial. Garden plants. 1 1/2 feet.

Fine perennials with handsome foliage. They are excellent in the perennial border.

4085 Spicata. Long spikes of violet-blue flowers. June and July. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.



4085 Veronica Spicata

VISCARIA - Rock Lychnis

Hardy Annual. Edging and cutting. 1 foot.

Dainty little annuals bearing brilliant flowers an inch across, on slender, long stems. Excellent for cutting.

4146 Blue Pearl. Clear lavender-blue. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

4152 Rose Beauty. Bright deep rose, fringed flowers. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

WALLFLOWER - Annual Cheiranthus

Treat as Annual. Garden flowers. 1 to 2 feet.

4166 Mixed. Fine old-fashioned plants which resemble the popular English Wallflower. Very tree-flowering and delightfully fragrant. Shades of red, brown and yellow. Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c.

4170 Double, Early Wonder, Mixed. Handsome double flowers in fine rich colors. 2 feet. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

WALLFLOWER - Perennial Cherianthus

Hardy Perennials. Flower garden. 18 to 24 inches.

The fine, old-fashioned English Wallflower which produces an abundance of fragrant, rich, deep colored blooms very early in the Spring.

4188 Single, Mixed. A superb strain. Fine, large spikes of bloom in a wide range of rich colors. 2 feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

4190 Double, Mixed. Beautiful double flowers in many lovely colors. Height 18 inches. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.

XANTHISMA - Star of Texas

Half-hardy Annual. Flower garden. 18 inches.

4195 Texnum. An unusually interesting and lovely American wild flower. Dense, bushy plants bearing Daisy-like flowers with sharply pointed petals; light canary yellow with lighter yellow centers. Neat, narrow, light green foliage forms a perfect background for the lovely blooms. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



4417—LILLIPUT MIXED
Packet 15c. Three for 35c.



4250—DESERT GOLD
Packet 25c. Three for 60c.



4660—MEXICANA HYBRIDS
Packet 25c. Three for 60c.

Zinnias

California Giant

The plants of this group reach a height of 2½ feet. Flowers are very large and well formed, with a smooth-topped, graceful appearance, the petals lying flat upon each other. Blooming in about 60 days from planting time, "Breck's California Giants" are outstanding garden subjects.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 85c.

- 4275 **Brightness.** Clear bright pink.
- 4277 **Cerise Queen.** A glorious cerise.
- 4279 **Daffodil.** Canary yellow.
- 4281 **Enchantress.** Light rose, deep rose center.
- 4283 **Golden Queen.** Golden yellow.
- 4285 **Lavender Queen.** Deep rosy lavender.
- 4286 **Miss Willmott.** Soft rich pink.
- 4287 **Orange King.** Deep orange-scarlet.
- 4289 **Purity.** Snow white.
- 4291 **Scarlet Queen.** Deep glowing scarlet.
- 4293 **Mixed.** All colors.

42941 **COLLECTION, 6 separate colors, 75c.**

Super Crown O'Gold

Immense, showy flowers, equal in size to those of the California Giant and Dahlia-flowered groups. The blooms are made up of broad petals, each of which is overlaid with deep golden yellow at the base while carrying out the individual flower color at the petal tips. This unique flower marking so enhances the beauty of these Zinnias that they stand out as a really great achievement. 2½ feet.

4250 **Desert Gold.** Unusually large flowers with broad, closely fitting petals of creamy-pale gold, overlaid with deep, shining gold at the base. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.00

4260 **Pastel Tints, Mixed.** Soft shades of yellow, apricot, pink, salmon, peach, buff, cream and white, each petal overlaid with gold at the base, but showing the individual flower color at the tip. Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., ¼ oz. \$1.25

Dahlia Flowered

Very robust, branching plants, 2½ feet high, bearing huge, fully double flowers which resemble the show type of Dahlia. They have a wide range of rich colors and make a striking display in any garden.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., ¼ oz. 85c.

- 4306 **Canary Bird.** Rich canary yellow.
- 4308 **Crimson Monarch.** Large, deep crimson.
- 4310 **Dream.** Deep rosy lavender.
- 4312 **Exquisite.** Light rose, deep rose center.
- 4314 **Golden Dawn.** Golden yellow.
- 4316 **Old Rose.** Fine shades of old rose.
- 4318 **Oriole.** Rich orange and gold.
- 4320 **Polar Bear.** Large, creamy white.
- 4321 **Royal Purple.**
- 4322 **Breck's Special Mixture.**

43231 **COLLECTION, 6 separate colors, 75c.**



4594—SCABIOSA-FLOWERED MIXED
Packet 15c. Three for 35c.



4484—FANTASY MIXED
Packet 15c. Three for 35c.

Dwarf Defiance

An intermediate type, ideal for cut flowers, having double, formal blooms of medium size, on excellent stems. 15 inches.

Pkt. 10c., 3 pkts. 25c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c.

- 4370 **Bright Scarlet**
- 4372 **Canary Yellow**
- 4374 **Crimson**
- 4376 **Golden Orange**
- 4378 **Rose-Pink**
- 4380 **Salmon-Rose**
- 4382 **Spun Gold**
- 4384 **White**
- 4386 **Choice Mixed.**

43871 COLLECTION,
6 separate colors, 50c.

Breck's Lilliput

Compact, branching plants, bearing masses of handsome, small, rounded flowers. Superb for bedding or edging and an excellent type for cutting. Height 2 feet.

- 4403 Black Ruby.** Bronze Medal, 1941 A.A.S. Handsome, deep, velvety maroon. While the color is very deep, it is by no means dull. Very effective with lighter colors.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

- 4405 Canary Gem.** Canary-yellow.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 65c.
- 4407 Crimson Gem.** Rich shade.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 65c.
- 4409 Golden Gem.** Golden orange.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 65c.
- 4411 Pink Gem.** Deep pink.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 65c.
- 4413 Salmon Gem.** Salmon-rose.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 65c.
- 4415 White Gem.** Fine white.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 65c.
- 4417 Mixed.** Splendid range of all colors.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 65c.

44181 COLLECTION, 6 separate colors, 75c.

Fantasy

A new and exceedingly beautiful strain of Zinnias with petals that are waved and twisted in a most unusual manner. There is a wide range of colors and the informality of the flower form is very refreshing. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet. The mixture was awarded a Silver Medal in the 1935 All America Selections.

- 4467 Melody.** Rich orchid-lavender.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.25
- 4470 Orange Lady.** Deep bright orange.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c.
- 4473 Rosalie.** Bright, intense rose.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c.
- 4476 Star Dust.** Light yellow.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c.
- 4479 White Light.** Pure white.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c.
- 4481 Wildfire.** Dazzling scarlet.
Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.25
- 4484 Choice Mixed.** All colors.
Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c.

44851 COLLECTION, 5 separate colors, 65c.

ZULU QUEEN

- 4500 Zulu Queen.** A rich and forceful color, the deepest of deep maroons, with an exquisite velvety finish. Splendid for contrasting with lighter or brighter shades. The blooms are of medium size, deep and full, and the plants are about $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet tall.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



4308
Crimson
Monarch

4306
Canary
Bird

Gaillardia-flowered

- 4520 Navajo Mixed.** Attractive, medium-sized double and semi-double flowers, with long, narrow petals, curved and fluted, each petal marked with a contrasting lighter color, giving the flower the appearance of a double Gaillardia. Fine, mellow tones of lilac, lavender, russet, orange, yellow, pink and pastel shades. Height $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.00

Breck's Midget

- 4545 Mixed.** Compact little plants, 6 to 8 inches high, bearing a profusion of small, well-formed flowers of the Lilliput type. The colors range through red, orange, yellow, pink, rose and other pastel shades. It is most effective as an edging in front of taller varieties.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.00

Scabiosa-flowered

- 4594 Mixed.** A rare development. Blooms composed of a single row of brightly colored petals surrounding a close quilled, tufted center of a contrasting shade. Flowers erect, long-stemmed, and valuable for cutting. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.00

Gracillima

- 4610 Red Riding Hood.** Tiny rounded, fiery red blooms, freely borne on low spreading plants. A unique and pretty little Zinnia. 1 foot. Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c.

Linearis

- 4635 Linearis.** Compact, branching plants, reaching a height of about 15 inches and having a spread of as much as 2 feet. The graceful, single flowers appear early in the Summer, almost covering the slender, dark green foliage. The color is a deep golden orange with a delicate light yellow stripe in the midst of each petal; dark centers.

Pkt. 15c., 3 pkts. 35c.

Mexicana Hybrids

- 4660 Mixed.** Handsome annuals of spreading habit, 18 to 24 inches high with single, semi-double and double flowers somewhat like those of French Marigolds, in shades of yellow, orange, crimson, and brown; some striped, blotched, and tipped with contrasting colors.

Pkt. 25c., 3 pkts. 60c.



BRECK'S *Gladiolus*

ALADDIN. Immense blooms of bright salmon with a large cream blotch; beautifully ruffled. 85c. for 10, \$1.95 for 25, \$7.50 per 100

Algonquin. A handsome tall, early variety; broad wide open blooms of the most brilliant scarlet. \$1.30 for 10, \$3.00 for 25, \$11.50 per 100

American Commander. A recent introduction. Tall, vigorous grower; color, clear rich blood-red. \$1.00 for 5, \$2.00 for 10, \$4.80 for 25

Amrita. Heavily ruffled blooms in shades of buff, sometimes tinged pink; yellow throat. A wonderfully beautiful pastel variety. 95c. for 10, \$2.25 for 25, \$8.60 per 100

Apricot Glow (Prim.) Beautiful warm shade of orange-buff. 45c. for 10, \$1.10 for 25, \$4.00 per 100

Bagdad. Very large; smoky old-rose with lighter throat. Tall, straight stems. 50c. for 10, \$1.20 for 25, \$4.65 per 100

BEACON. Very handsome blooms of clear, bright rose-scarlet, with large cream blotch; somewhat ruffled. 65c. for 10, \$1.50 for 25, \$5.75 per 100

BELLA DONNA. A lovely, early light blue variety with a deeper blue blotch. 55c. for 10, \$1.30 for 25, \$5.10 per 100

Betty Nuthall. Warm salmon-orange with lighter throat; large, well-placed flowers on long stems. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

Bill Sowden. Glowing deep blood-red, very large blooms. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

SIT O'HEAVEN. Rich, deep orange shading to yellow in the throat. Tall, straight spikes. 70c. for 10, \$1.65 for 25, \$6.20 per 100

BLACK OPAL. Rich, very dark red. The finest of the deep dark shades. \$1.30 for 10, \$3.10 for 25, \$11.90 per 100

Blue Beauty. Bright medium blue shading towards violet-blue at the edges. Large, wide open blooms. \$1.10 for 10, \$2.65 for 25, \$10.15 per 100

Brightside. Rich canary-yellow, flushed pure apricot in upper throat and tipped deep orange. One of the loveliest. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

Cadillac. Golden apricot, changing to rosy apricot at edges of petals. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

Commander Koehl. Brilliant clear blood-red, tall, straight spike. The finest variety in this shade. 70c. for 10, \$1.65 for 25, \$6.20 per 100

Debonair. La Franc pink, shading to shrimp-pink; creamy throat, lightly flecked with crimson. An outstanding variety. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

Dr. Dentz. Lovely rosy pink flowers. Resembles Picardy but is of a somewhat darker shade. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

Dr. F. E. Bennett. An unusual fiery red; very large flower. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

Duna. Soft pinkish buff, shading to pale yellow at base of lip petals. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

Gate of Heaven. Beautifully ruffled flowers of deep golden yellow. An early variety. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

Gold Dust. An extra-fine Gladiolus, tall spikes of clear deep yellow. 70c. for 10, \$1.65 for 25, \$6.20 per 100

Golden Cup. Large blooms of clear, deep golden yellow. Tall spikes. 60c. for 10, \$1.40 for 25, \$5.30 per 100

Golden Dream. Clear deep yellow; flowers recurved and distinct. 50c. for 10, \$1.20 for 25, \$4.65 per 100

Hallowe'en (Prim.) Glowing orange-bronze florets. An unusually attractive variety. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

JONQUIL. (Prim.) Clear deep yellow, the color of "King Alfred Daffodil." A splendid early variety, fine for cutting. 65c. for 10, \$1.55 for 25, \$5.95 per 100

Libelle. A very strong growing variety of a fine clear shade of heliotrope blue. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

Maid of Orleans. Beautiful milky white with cream throat. The most popular white variety. 70c. for 10, \$1.65 for 25, \$6.20 per 100

MARGARET BEATON. Pure snowy white enhanced by a small orange-scarlet blotch deep in the throat. A really outstanding variety. \$1.10 for 10, \$2.65 for 25, \$10.15 per 100

Margaret Fulton. A clear rich coral-pink, lighter in the throat. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

Marmora. Striking blooms of lavender-gray, with purple blotch in the throat. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

MARY SHARRY. Soft clear primrose yellow with deeper yellow in the throat. 85c. for 10, \$1.95 for 25, \$7.50 per 100

Minuet. Beautiful clear lavender. One of the finest of this color in existence. 70c. for 10, \$1.65 for 25, \$6.20 per 100

Miss New Zealand. Immense florets of apricot-salmon suffused with rose; cherry blotch in throat. A gorgeous variety. 80c. for 10, \$1.85 for 25, \$7.00 per 100

Mother Machree. Beautiful combination of wine-tinted lavender overlaid with salmon-pink. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

NINTH SYMPHONY. Large flowers of glowing salmon-red with a silky sheen. One of the most brilliantly colored. 90c. for 10, \$2.15 for 25, \$8.15 per 100

Pelegriana. The finest dark blue variety. Its large spikes carry six or more well-placed blooms, open at the same time, with the rest of the buds showing color. Very outstanding and extremely effective. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

Phyllis McQuiston. A gorgeous, clear, deep shrimp pink. A very fine, tall variety. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

Picardy. Truly a sensational variety. Extremely large and superbly beautiful flowers of clear soft shrimp-pink with flesh-pink lip, shaded deeper at the edges. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

Polar Ice. A fine tall growing early clear white variety. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

Purple Beauty. Very large blooms; a clear shade of rich red-purple. Handsome variety. \$1.10 for 10, \$2.65 for 25, \$10.15 per 100

Red Lory. One of the finest dark varieties. Large flowers of carmine-rose with purplish red blotches. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

REWI FALLU. Immense massive blooms of deep blood-red. A very fine early variety. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

See Inside Back Cover—Breck's Victory Gladiolus Collection



Maid of Orleans

GLADIOLUS—Continued

Rosa Van Lima. Blooms of the clearest pure pink with faint lavender throat markings. Exquisite.

75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

SHIRLEY TEMPLE. Giant, heavily ruffled blooms of creamy white with cream-yellow throats. One of the most beautiful varieties grown. 75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

Smiling Maestro. One of the finest in its color class. Rich range salmon. Flowers of unusual size.

75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

SNOW PRINCESS. A splendid white variety with a creamy throat. Very tall, large flowered.

75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

Sonatine. A tall light pink Gladiolus with a small cherry blotch in the throat.

60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

SYMPHONY. Tall spikes of lovely delicate pink blooms with a cream blotch. A striking variety. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

Token. Magnificent flaming salmon with golden yellow throat. Large, slightly ruffled flowers.

45c. for 10, \$1.10 for 25, \$4.00 per 100

Vagabond Prince. A distinctive variety of iridescent garnet-brown, lighter in upper throat, and with a small blotch of glowing flame-scarlet on lip petal. A gorgeous Gladiolus. 70c. for 10, \$1.65 for 25, \$6.20 per 100

Wasaga (Prim.). Very lovely buff color with wide open, somewhat ruffled blooms.

75c. for 10, \$1.75 for 25, \$6.60 per 100

White Butterfly (Prim.). A fine pure white variety with a creamy throat; of butterfly form. 45c. for 10, \$1.10 for 25, \$4.00 per 100

Wurtembergia. Fiery scarlet with white throat. Immense blooms on tall, straight spikes. 60c. for 10, \$1.45 for 25, \$5.50 per 100

**BRECK'S COLORFUL
GLADIOLUS MIXTURES****TOP-NOTCH MIXTURE**

A very choice mixture selected from the best of the newer large flowered varieties with particular care to include only colors and shades which harmonize well together.

60c. for 10, \$1.40 for 25, \$5.30 per 100

GARDEN MIXTURE

A well-balanced mixture including all colors and types. An especially useful selection for brilliant garden display or cutting.

40c. for 10, 95c. for 25, \$3.50 per 100

PRIMULINUS HYBRID MIXTURE

Unnamed hybrid seedlings in many beautiful combination of colors, mostly in shades of tan, buff, salmon, orange, yellow, etc.

45c. for 10, \$1.10 for 25, \$4.00 per 100



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BRECK'S DAHLIAS

The modern Dahlia is a flower of great variety. There are numberless kinds varying in size from huge blooms over 12 inches across to tiny flowers not much larger than a dime. The colors range from the purest white through shades of pink and rose to scarlet, crimson and deep maroon, almost black as well as yellow, orange, lavender, lilac and purple. The flower forms vary too but they have been grouped by type under the following general headings—Decorative, Cactus, Show or Ball-shaped, Pompon and Single. The Miniature group is made up of Dahlias which have these same varied forms but the flowers are under 4 inches in diameter.

We have selected the following list of varieties from the thousands now available to give a wide choice of colors, types and sizes—Dahlias for every purpose. Strong, hardy, eastern grown divisions which with reasonable culture will give a wealth of color from late Summer throughout the Autumn until frost. Flowers to beautify the garden and brighten the home.

MINIATURE DAHLIAS

Betty. Small, graceful, single flowers about 3 inches across, center dark brownish red, the rest of the petal is a deep orchid-pink. The short plants bloom early and continuously. 50c.

Buckeye Baby. FD. Dainty, round blooms of rich golden buff. The tall, vigorous plants produce an abundance of flowers which are excellent for cutting. 35c.

Bishop of Llandaff. Duplex, having double row of deep scarlet petals with open center of much darker shade. Foliage is unusually attractive, dark reddish bronze and deeply indented. One of the finest in its class. 50c.

Cherokee Girl. FD. Rich, deep red flowers, quite round, with contrasting white petal tips, notched at the edges. The plants grow tall and strong, bloom early and continuous, producing many long, firm-stemmed flowers which keep well when cut. 50c.

Coral Beauty. ID. Dainty coral-pink blooms borne in profusion over a long season, on large spreading plants. 50c.

Coronne. FD. A lovely, dainty variety—pure white, resembling a Gardenia. Plant short and bushy. 35c.

Elizabeth Pape. SC. Creamy pink shading to cream at the tips of the long narrow petals; short bushy plants; very late-flowering. 50c.

Fairy. F.D. One of the finest flowers for bouquets; lavender-pink on best of long, strong stems. Plants medium tall, early and profuse blooming. 35c.

Irene. F.D. Pleasing shade of clear, soft old-rose; plants tall, sturdy. 35c.

Lannie. FD. One of the best yellow miniatures. Flowers large for this type, round and the clearest of yellows. Plants tall and vigorous. Exceptionally fine in the garden and equally attractive in bouquets. 50c.

Little Duke. FD. Round compact ball-shaped blooms of rich dark red, on fine long stems. 35c.

Margo. FD. Very distinctive blooms of bright velvety red on exceptionally long stems; plants, medium tall. An exceptional Dahlia. 50c.

Paula. FD. Fairly large flowers of clear, deep rose-pink. Fine sturdy plants; strong stems. 35c.

Princess Alba. FD. Pure snowy white with just a trace of gold at base of petals; large, strong plants; fine stems. The best white for cutting. 50c.

Purple Miniature. FD. Small, round flowers of deep purple-red with long, strong stems; fine for cutting. Plants grow sturdy and flower abundantly. 35c.

Red Sea. ID. A large "miniature" of brilliant fiery red. An early and profuse bloomer. Short sturdy plants. 75c.

Suffolk. FD. Rich apricot-orange. A most pleasing flower with fine, long stems, borne in profusion on tall, sturdy plants. 50c.

Twilight. ID. Large, white blooms edged and flecked with cherry red. Medium tall plants, good stems. 35c.

Yellow Century. Exceptionally fine, single flowers of soft light yellow. 35c.

Miniature Dahlias

5 pictured below \$1.50

Yellow Century—Single

Bishop of Llandaff—

Deep scarlet

Coronne—White

Irene—Old Rose

Fairy—
Lavender pink





Jersey's Beauty (Decorative)

CACTUS DAHLIAS

SC = Semi Cactus; C = Cactus

- Agnes L. Young.** SC. Rich, velvety, bright red with golden petal tips. The flowers are large, borne in great profusion, on strong plants of medium height with good stems. 50c.
- Aiko.** SC. The huge blooms of deep cardinal-red, with long, narrow petals are held well above the foliage by firm stems. Plants medium tall. \$1.00
- Alice Whittier.** SC. Huge blooms of light primrose-yellow. The plants are tall and the long-stemmed flowers are very showy. 50c.
- Andreas Hofer.** C. Medium-sized flowers with long, curled petals; center petals creamy white, while the outer petals are beautiful rose-pink. An excellent flower for bouquets. 50c.
- Countess of Lonsdale.** C. A small flower with incurved, narrow pointed petals of exquisite salmon-pink. Stems long and wiry. A profuse blooming variety of vigorous growth. 50c.
- Fay Beaton.** SC. Huge, snow-white blooms held high on fine, long stems. Plants tall and strong. Very showy in the garden. 60c.
- Golden Standard.** C. A very distinctive variety with immense blooms of pure old gold, petals long, narrow and incurved. The vigorous, spreading plants are literally covered with glorious blooms. \$1.00
- Jean Trimbee.** SC. A very spectacular Dahlia. Large shaggy blooms of rich deep violet. Tall and free flowering. 60c.
- Lenda Hanks.** SC. This is unquestionably the finest rich maroon-red Cactus. It is a strong, sturdy grower with exceptionally long stems. One of the finest for cutting and garden display. \$1.50
- Minnie Eastman.** SC. Huge flowers of rich velvety flame color. Tall straight plants; early and abundant flowering. 50c.
- Miss Belgium.** C. The finest Cactus variety in this shade—rich, clear, bright orange. Exquisitely-formed, flowers with narrow, sharply-pointed petals. \$1.00
- Mrs. J. H. Jackson.** C. Small flowers, of dark, nearly black maroon. Petals very narrow, sharply pointed, giving a star effect. 35c.
- Star of Bethlehem.** SC. Full, deep flowers of purest white borne in profusion on large, strong plants. 35c.

BRECK'S Cactus COLLECTION

Six attractive varieties of unique Cactus form

A \$4.10 Value for \$2.50 Postpaid

Agnes L. Young	Fay Beaton	Countess of Lonsdale
Alice Whittier	Lenda Hanks	Minnie Eastman

BRECK'S Special COLLECTION

For a wealth of color in the garden we have selected 8 outstanding varieties that will give a spectacular display.

A \$4.40 Value for \$3.00 Postpaid

Avonelle. FD.
 Buckeye King. FD.
 Golden Beauty. ID.
 Jersey's Beacon. FD.

Marshall's Ideal. FD.
 Miss Mae C. Deane. FD.
 Prince of Persia. ID.
 White King. FD.

SINGLE DAHLIAS

- Giant Yellow Century.** Excellent large blooms, about 6 inches across, of sparkling clear yellow. No finer Dahlia grown. 50c.
- Lavender Century.** Medium-sized flowers in lavender-pink shades. 35c.
- Maroon Century.** Dark velvety red blooms of medium size, abundantly produced on fine, strong plants. 50c.
- Pink Century.** Exquisite shade of orchid-pink. Very free flowering. 35c.
- Red Century.** Blooms medium-sized, varying in color from light to very deep shades of red. 35c.
- Rose Century.** Large flowers of rich, velvety rose held high on tall, very strong plants. 35c.
- White Century.** Lovely white flowers occasionally tinted with soft yellow or pink. 35c.
- Yellow Century.** Fine soft light yellow. Very free flowering. 35c.

BRECK'S Century COLLECTION

Five excellent single-flowered varieties

A \$1.90 value for \$1.50 Postpaid

Maroon
Pink

Red

White
Yellow**POMPON DAHLIAS**

A Pompon Dahlia is a Show or Ball Dahlia less than 2 inches in diameter
25c. each, \$1.00 for 5 of one kind

- Achilles.** Very attractive. Soft yellow, heavily edged with light violet.
- Coral Glow.** True coral-pink, gold base. Extra strong plant.
- Golden Papoose.** Rich amber gold. Very floriferous.
- Golden Queen.** Large blooms of pure golden yellow.
- Iroquois Flame.** Small, flame-coral flowers borne in great profusion.
- Iroquois Little Red.** Very rich dark red blooms; long strong stems.
- Joe Fette.** Pure white blooms held very high by fine long stems.
- Johnny Peppin.** A fine deep dark crimson.
- Little David.** Rich deep tangerine orange.
- Little Elk.** Rich, intense orange-bronze; fine long stems.
- Montague Wooten.** Deep purple with a white base, flower small.
- Nerissa.** Clear rich lavender with silvery sparkle.
- Red Indian.** Very profuse flowering. Small, velvety red blooms.
- Snowclad.** Snow-white flowers with fine, long stems.
- Youlette.** Rich orange-yellow, center petals edged red.

BRECK'S Pompon COLLECTION

These wonderful small compact flowers make exquisite bouquets.

All Six for \$1.00 Postpaid

Coral Glow
 Golden Papoose

Joe Fette
 Nerissa

Red Indian
 Youlette

SHOW, or BALL-SHAPED DAHLIAS

Show Dahlias are medium-sized, round and even, with quilled petals.
40c. each, \$1.10 for 3

- Black Diamond.** Rich, velvety maroon-red. Medium tall plants.
- California Peach.** Exquisite shade—apricot-peach. Plants tall.
- Kentucky Snowball.** Pure white; short plants.
- Maude Adams.** White, delicately overlaid soft lavender.
- Red Duke.** Rich red flowers on tall, strong plants.

BRECK'S "Decorative" COLLECTION

An excellent selection of particularly fine Dahlias.

A \$3.05 Value for \$2.00 Postpaid

Jane Cowl. ID.
 Jersey's Beauty. FD.
 Mrs. I. de Ver Warner. FD.

Mrs. James Albin. FD.
 W. H. T. FD.
 White Wonder. ID.



Jane Cowl (Decorative)

LARGE DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

FD=Formal Decorative; ID=Informal Decorative

- Angela Mia** (Angel Wing). FD. A large, pure white flower with long, broad, wavy petals. The stems are good and the flowers are held erect on medium tall plants. \$1.00
- Avonelle**. FD. A huge, velvety, purplish maroon Dahlia. Medium tall plant; long, strong stems. A good cut flower. 50c.
- Buckeye King**. FD. The immense blooms are rich amber yellow. The plants are strong, medium tall with very long flower stems. 50c.
- C. T. Hardwick**. FD. Large flowers; the base of each pedal is bluish lavender but the petal tips are white. Tall, strong plants; good stems; many blooms. \$1.00
- Curly Locks**. ID. One of the largest; broad petals of golden apricot shaded with gold. Tall robust plants with heavy deep green foliage. 75c.
- F. D. Roosevelt**. FD. Very striking, large flowers of spectrum red edged with fawn. Strong plants with very sturdy stems which hold the blooms erect. \$1.00
- Girl of Hillcrest**. FD. Immense, very formal blooms of bright cadmium orange held high on fine, strong stems. 75c.
- Golden Beauty**. ID. Tall, strong plants bearing many lovely, large golden yellow flowers on the best of long, strong stems. 60c.
- Governor Fuller**. ID. Glistening Tyrian rose. Huge blooms, well held upon short to medium tall plants. Exceptionally beautiful. 50c.
- Grace Curling**. ID. Lovely blooms of soft pink, almost orchid. Tall plants with fine stems. 75c.
- Honor Bright**. FD. These distinctive flowers form huge round balls of rich bronze borne perfectly erect on fine, strong stems. Medium tall plants. 75c.
- Jane Cowl**. ID. No finer Dahlia grown. The plants are large, strong and spreading with monstrous blooms of golden buff suffused with salmon and pink. 35c.
- Jersey's Beacon**. FD. Huge blooms of Chinese scarlet, reverse of petals orange-yellow, giving a glorious two-toned effect. Fine strong stems. 35c.
- Jersey's Beauty**. FD. No Dahlia collection would be complete without this beautiful, clear pink variety. The plants are tall, with extra, long-stemmed flowers, just grand for cutting. 35c.
- King of Purples**. FD. Huge blooms of rich purple, held very high on firm, long stems. The plants are tall, strong and spreading and are continuously in bloom. A new and unexcelled purple Dahlia. \$1.50
- Marshall's Ideal**. FD. A splendid, large flower borne on the best of stems; white, delicately overlaid with pale pink. An excellent cut flower. 60c.

- Miss Mae C. Deane**. FD. Medium-sized flowers of deep velvety wine-red held well on good stems. Extra-fine flowers for cutting. \$1.00
- Mrs. A. E. Wheeler**. FD. The large, rich violet blooms just cover the short plants and are continuously in bloom. 50c.
- Mrs. George Le Boutillier**. ID. Rich, dark crimson blooms with long, firm stems on short, bushy plants. One of the largest grown. 40c.
- Mrs. I. de Ver Warner**. FD. Large, orchid-pink flowers, held very high on the best of stems. One of the finest varieties. 35c.
- Mrs. James Albin**. FD. Medium-sized flowers of clear rich yellow that keep well when cut. Medium tall plants with good stems. \$1.00
- Mrs. J. K. Alexander**. ID. Fine, large, 12-inch blooms of buttercup yellow borne on long stems. Plants short. 60c.
- Omar Khayyam**. FD. An unusual color—rich Chinese scarlet and orange. The plants are medium tall and bear large blooms. 35c.
- Percy Bloomfield**. FD. The flowers are a lovely shade of rose with a golden sheen. They are borne profusely on fine, long stems, which hold them well above the tall, vigorous plants. \$1.00
- Prince of Persia**. ID. Brilliant scarlet-rose blooms of exceptional size on fine, tall plants. 50c.
- Sanhican's Peach**. ID. Flowers are iridescent hues of apricot pink and light orange; very large. Short, bushy plants 35c.
- Smoky Old Rose**. FD. Superb new variety in a most unusual shade—burnished, smoky old-rose. The fine blooms are produced in great abundance and are well-placed on long, rigid stems. \$2.00
- Sultan of Hillcrest**. FD. Short stocky plants bearing immense round flowers of clear rich orange-yellow. 75c.
- T. A. Norris**. FD. Very tall plants with exceptional foliage. The blooms are white, faintly flushed orchid with a slightly deeper tint on the reverse. An extremely attractive Dahlia. \$2.00
- W. H. T.** FD. Large, perfectly shaped, round flowers in a delightful Begonia-rose color. Tall plants. Long stems. 50c.
- White King**. FD. Medium-sized, pure white flowers with long, strong stems. One of the best whites for bouquets. 35c.
- White Wonder**. ID. Huge shaggy blooms of sparkling white. Very sturdy plants. 50c.
- Yellow Princess**. ID. Immense primrose-yellow flowers on long stems. Plants, medium tall. 50c.

BRECK'S Popular MIXTURE

7 Fine Tubers—98c. postpaid

A rare treat. Un-named Dahlias taken from our surplus stocks of the best kinds. Many are varieties whose tags have been lost. Any one of these may be worth more than the entire purchase price.



Bishop of Llandaff

BRECK'S Blue Ribbon COLLECTION

A great Dahlia bargain—10 of the finest, large Dahlias grown at less than half catalog price

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| Angela Mia . FD. | \$5.00 | King of Purples . FD. |
| C. T. Hardwick . FD. | | Lenda Hanks . SC. |
| Curly Locks . ID. | | Percy Bloomfield . FD. |
| Golden Standard . C. | | Sultan of Hillcrest . FD. |
| Grace Curling . ID. | | T. A. Norris . FD. |
- Postpaid**

All Bulbs are Postpaid Anywhere in U. S. A.

BRECK'S BULBS FOR

Breck's Giant Begonias

TUBEROUS-ROOTED*Delivery—February to May*

\$1.10 for 3, \$3.60 for 10, \$8.70 for 25, postpaid

Summer bedding and pot plants of spectacular beauty. The enormous single or double flowers are held well above the foliage, displaying a rich color range from scarlet to white, through shades of yellow, orange, and pink. Start the bulbs indoors and put outdoors when the ground is warm. Highly recommended for moist soil in shady or half-shady places.

GIANT SINGLE-FLOWERED**Orange
Rose****Salmon
Scarlet****White
Yellow****Mixed****DOUBLE CAMELLIA-FLOWERED****Orange
Rose****Salmon
Scarlet****White
Yellow****Mixed****CALLA ELLIOTTIANA****(The Golden Calla)***Delivery—January to May*

75c. each, \$2.10 for 3, \$6.60 for 10, postpaid

Large flowers of luminous golden yellow with deep green foliage marked freely with translucent white spots. They grow to a height of about 2½ feet and are extremely effective when used as Summer bedding plants.

The Golden Calla is also splendid when grown as a pot plant for home or porch decoration. A single bulb growing in a 6 inch pot will make a striking plant.

They may be planted indoors at any time during the Winter or Spring months and in the open garden in May.

CANNAS

*Delivery—March to May***55c. for 5, 95c. for 10, \$2.25 for 25, postpaid**

For bold striking color effects Cannas are unequaled. They are valuable both for their blooms and for their broad, handsome foliage.

The bulbs may be planted directly in the garden after the weather has become warm in May or, for early effect they may be started after March 1, and grown along in pots until May. They like a deep rich soil and plenty of water.

Eureka. Fine white flowers, green foliage. 4 feet

Hungaria. La France pink, green foliage. 4 feet

King Humbert. Orange-scarlet, bronze foliage. 4 feet

Richard Wallace. Deep canary yellow flowers in large trusses. Bright green foliage. 4 feet

Wintzer's Colossal. Vivid scarlet, green foliage. 5 feet

Yellow King Humbert. Golden yellow flowers, freely dotted with red. Green foliage. 4 feet

Mixed Varieties.



Tuberous-Rooted Begonia, Camellia-Flowered Salmon

ACIDANTHERA BICOLOR*Delivery—March to June*

65c. for 5, \$1.20 for 10, \$2.90 for 25, postpaid

Valuable Summer-flowering bulbs, bearing dainty fragrant blooms of creamy white with a purple-maroon blotch. They should be planted about 3 inches deep in early June. Otherwise, their culture is identical with that of Gladiolus, which they resemble somewhat in growth.

AMARYLLIS HALLI**(Lycoris Squamigera)****The Hardy Amaryllis***Delivery—March and April or in Autumn*

\$1.50 each, \$4.00 for 3, postpaid

These plants are perfectly hardy and the bulbs may be planted either in the Autumn or early in the Spring. They will grow in any reasonably good garden soil and they should be set about 4 inches deep.

The leaves appear quite early in the Spring and grow until July, when they ripen and die to the ground. Then in August, the flower buds spring up and grow rapidly to a height of 2 to 3 feet. These buds soon open into clusters of from 8 to 12 large Lily-like flowers of a rosy lilac color. They are very handsome and always excite admiration.

CINNAMON VINE**(Dioscorea Batatas)***Delivery—March to May*

35c. for 3, \$1.00 for 10, \$2.30 for 25, postpaid

A splendid hardy climber of rapid growth, with glossy, green, heart shaped leaves and pure white, cinnamon-scented flowers. Plant the tubers horizontally and about 2 inches deep in April or May. They will grow in any good well drained soil and are excellent for covering porches or arbors. While the tubers will often live through our Winters in the ground, it is best to protect them with a heavy mulch of leaves or to lift them and store in a cool place in dry sand during the Winter.



Cannas, Hungaria

Wintzer's Colossal

Yellow King Humbert

SUMMER GARDENS

HYACINTHUS (Galtonia) CANDICANS

(Summer Hyacinth, Spire Lily)

Delivery—March to May

75c. for 5, \$1.35 for 10, \$3.15 for 25, postpaid

Splendid Midsummer blooming bulbs of easiest possible culture, producing 4 to 5 foot spikes of creamy white, slightly fragrant, bell-shaped flowers. The plants have luxuriant and pleasing strap-leaved foliage. Plant in May or early June in any well-drained garden soil. Are best grown in sunny locations in front of shrubs or in groups in mixed borders.

LILIUM HENRYI

(The Yellow Speciosum Lily)

Delivery—March, April and in Autumn

60c. each, \$1.65 for 3, \$5.00 for 10, postpaid

A splendid Lily with gracefully reflexed petals. It grows to a height of from 4 to 8 feet and bears in August from 5 to 20 flowers of bright orange-yellow, slightly spotted brown, with green band at base of each segment; color is at its best when grown in partial shade.

LILIUM REGALE

(Regal Lily)

Delivery—March, April and in Autumn

Large Bulbs.

30c. each, 80c. for 3, \$2.45 for 10, \$5.90 for 25, postpaid

Mammoth Bulbs.

50c. each, \$1.30 for 3, \$4.20 for 10, \$10.20 for 25, postpaid

One of the loveliest Lilies grown and probably the most satisfactory here in New England. Growing to a height of from 3 to 6 feet, it bears in July, from 2 or 3 to 12 or more immense, fragrant, trumpet-shaped flowers of pure white with a flush of yellow at the base of the petals and pure golden anthers. The reverse side of the petals is stained with deep purplish red. The Regal Lily will grow in almost any reasonably good soil but prefers a deep rich loam containing a large percentage of humus. Plant deeply, at least four times the diameter of the bulb below the surface of the soil.

MADEIRA VINE (Boussingaultia Baselloides)

(Mignonette Vine)

Delivery—March to May

35c. for 3, \$1.00 for 10, \$2.30 for 25, postpaid

An old-fashioned vine with an abundance of fleshy, heart-shaped leaves of a beautiful light green color. Bears graceful racemes of feathery white flowers which give forth a rich fragrance. Plant 3 to 4 inches deep in any good garden soil in late April or May, and allow to climb on a trellis, porch or arbor.

MONTBRETIAS—Delivery—March and April

Attractive Summer and Autumn blooming bulbous plants which resemble miniature Gladiolus. They may be planted in the open garden as soon as ground is workable in early Spring in the same manner as Gladiolus. If planted in a well drained location, these bulbs often prove hardy in Massachusetts, but it is unwise to risk wintering them in the open unless protected by a mulch of some such material as salt marsh hay. To advance blooming season, bulbs may be potted and started indoors during February or March. Transfer to garden in May; water plentifully during growing season.

Fire King. Large, glowing scarlet-red flowers. One of the most beautiful and a variety which compares favorably with any of the new sorts.

55c. for 10, \$1.30 for 25, \$5.10 per 100, postpaid

Golden West. Produces tall, branching spikes and large open flowers of a most beautiful golden yellow, without shading. A strong grower which attracts the eye in every collection.

75c. for 10, \$1.80 for 25, \$6.85 per 100, postpaid

His Majesty. A magnificent variety. The color is a deep velvety scarlet, shading to gold, the reverse of petals being dark crimson. Large flowers.

\$1.25 for 10, \$2.95 for 25, \$11.20 per 100, postpaid

Lemon Queen. Creamy yellow with pale center; deep lemon yellow buds. Very attractive variety.

75c. for 10, \$1.80 for 25, \$6.85 per 100, postpaid

Special Mixture. A fine selection of large-flowered varieties.

75c. for 10, \$1.80 for 25, \$6.85 per 100, postpaid



Mexican
Shell
Flower
(Tigridia)

TIGRIDIA

(Mexican Shell Flower or Tiger Flower)

Delivery—March to May

\$1.10 for 10, \$2.65 for 25, \$10.15 per 100, postpaid

Richly colored flowers with curiously cupped centers which are blotched and spotted with colors that contrast sharply with the shades of the outer petals. They are very striking and always excite interest and admiration.

Tigridias are as easy to grow as Gladiolus. Plant the bulbs about 5 inches deep in any good, well drained garden soils. Water thoroughly about once each week throughout the flowering season. **Mixed Colors only.**

OXALIS—SUMMER FLOWERING—Delivery—March to May

40c. for 10, 95c. for 25, \$3.50 per 100, postpaid

The Summer-flowering Oxalis with their handsome clover-like foliage are excellent edging plants for beds or flower borders. They are also splendid for rock garden work and are very lovely when grown in hanging pots or flower boxes.

Plant the bulbs about 2 inches deep in early May in any reasonably good garden soil. Give them plenty of water if the season is dry and they will bloom from early Summer until frost.

Deppei alba. Pure white.

Lasiandra. Crimson

American Shamrock. Pink.
Mixed Colors.

ZEPHYRANTHES

(Fairy Lily or Zephyr Flower)

Delivery—March to May

Groups of these attractive, Summer-flowering bulbous plants are very effective in the garden. Plant the bulbs about 3 inches deep and 4 inches apart in any reasonably good garden soil during May. They will start to bloom early in the Summer and continue to flower for quite a long time.

Zephyranthes are also splendid for porch decoration if grown in pots or shallow tubs. Plant a number of bulbs rather closely together in a fairly rich soil.

Candida. Pure white; very free flowering.

60c. for 3, \$1.75 for 10, postpaid

Rosea. Beautiful clear rose. Large, handsome flowers.

70c. for 3, \$2.00 for 10, postpaid



← Liliium Henryi

Climbing Roses



Paul's Scarlet Climber

For ease of culture, large returns for little effort, and masses of brilliant color at low cost nothing can touch the Climbing Roses. They just "make" the garden in June, festooning doorways, climbing over arches and trellises, covering fences and walls, with their beautiful, dark green foliage and sprays of multi-colored blossoms, or even scrambling up and over banking, in billows of colorful bloom.

After early and proper planting they readily become established and—like any sound investment—they pay regular dividends in beauty and satisfaction for years to come.

All Roses are in short supply for 1944. True Quality Roses are positively scarce. We handle but one grade—the best. When these are gone, we will stop shipping. Consequently we urge the early placing of orders.

Please Note—Labor shortage makes the offering of potted Roses impossible for this season. We will supply dormant stock only.

ORDER EARLY :: PLANT EARLY

BLAZE

(Plant Patent No. 10)

An everblooming form of Paul's Scarlet Climber, with the same clusters of vivid red flowers continuously produced on strong plants all season. Truly a remarkable Rose.

Dormant only, \$1.25 each, postpaid

Climbing American Beauty. Handsome buds and flowers of beautiful, deep rose, freely produced on fine, early-blooming plants of moderate vigor.

Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

Dr. W. Van Fleet. Exquisitely shaped buds and flowers of pale flesh-pink, borne on long, strong stems; superb for cutting. The flowers resemble fine Hybrid Tea Roses.

Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

Doublons (Pat. 152). This is a vigorous climber with heavy wood and handsome, glossy foliage. When in bloom the whole plant is literally covered with clusters of large, fragrant, golden yellow blooms.

Dormant only, \$1.25 each, postpaid

Golden Glow (Pat. 263). Large, fragrant, spectrum yellow double flowers of extreme beauty are freely produced on plants with dark green, healthy foliage. Grows to 15 ft.

Dormant only, \$1.50 each, postpaid

Jacotte. An energetic climber, with Holly-like foliage of great beauty. The buds are large, burning coppery orange, opening to big, handsome shining orange-yellow flowers, fragrant and long lasting.

Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid



New Dawn

4 Great Climbers
One of each as illustrated on
this page
DORMANT ONLY
\$5.00 postpaid
Two Collections to Same
Address **\$9.75** Postpaid

Mary Wallace. Bright, luminous pink flowers borne on long, sturdy stems, excellent for cutting. A fine, hardy climber, popular all over the country. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

New Dawn (Pat. 1). An everblooming form of the always popular Dr. Van Fleet. The first plant in America to be patented. The dainty, flesh pink flowers are produced from early Summer until frost. Dormant only, \$1.50 each, postpaid

Paul's Scarlet Climber.

A popular Climbing Rose of moderate vigor, highly prized for its clusters of medium sized, vivid scarlet flowers which remain for a long period. Dormant only, \$1.00 each postpaid.

Silver Moon. Superb climber of enormous vigor, covering a great area within a short time. Flowers are very large, single pure white, with a center of bright golden yellow stamens. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid



Mary Wallace



Golden Glow

Breck's "GEM" Collection for 1944



Six Beautiful Fragrant Roses —

PINK DAWN (Pink)
ETOILE DE HOLLANDE
(Dark red)

MRS. E. P. THOM (Yellow)
CHRISTOPHER STONE
(Bright red)

CONDESA DE SASTAGO
(Red and gold)
K. A. VIKTORIA (White)

\$5.50 POSTPAID
To Your Door

TWO COLLECTIONS \$10.50
(One Dozen Roses) Postpaid

Breck's Hybrid Tea Roses

A great shortage of Hybrid Tea Roses exists. As we go to press with this catalog we know that this year's demand for really top quality Hybrid Tea Roses will greatly exceed the available supply. We handle but one grade—the best. When the supply of these fine Roses is exhausted we will stop shipping for the season. Consequently we urge the early placing of orders, and in the filling of same we reserve the right (unless specifically advised to the contrary) to substitute varieties of equal or greater merit where substitutions are necessary. Labor shortage makes the offering of potted Roses impossible this year. All of **Breck's Quality Roses** therefore will be shipped DORMANT. Rose orders will be handled in rotation. **Please** order early. We don't want **you** to be disappointed. We urge early Spring planting in the case of all dormant stock. Plant Rose bushes as soon as you receive them. Don't expose them to drying conditions. All varieties in **LARGE TYPE** are illustrated in color. We pay parcel post delivery charges on all Roses at catalog prices. When ordering 12 or more Hybrid Tea Roses to be shipped at one time to one address you may add up the total cost and deduct 10 per cent IF cash accompanies the order. This special discount does not apply to our "Gem Collection for 1944" illustrated on page 57.



Douglas MacArthur

Betty Uprichard. Handsome blooms of delicate salmon-pink with coppery carmine on the reverse side of the petals and with a delightful Verbena-like fragrance. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

Caledonia. Large, pure white, very double, slightly fragrant blooms on long, strong stems. The leathery foliage is of a deep dark green color. One of the best white-flowered varieties. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

CHRISTOPHER STONE. A new Rose of extreme interest and beauty with all the qualities that a Gold Medal Winner should have. We are very enthusiastic about it. The brilliant, velvety scarlet flowers never show a trace of fading or a tendency to "blue." A good grower and bloomer, with a strong damask fragrance. Truly outstanding. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

CONDESA DE SASTAGO. A fine, two-toned Rose with very large, double flowers, cupped and fragrant. Oriental red inside and rich gold on the reverse. Foliage large and glossy. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid.

Crimson Glory (Pat. 105). Probably the finest crimson Rose introduced since Etoile de Hollande. Large, urn-shaped buds and splendidly formed open flowers of intensely deep, vivid crimson with blackish shadings. It has the rich, old-time Rose fragrance. Dormant only, \$1.25 each, postpaid

Dickson's Red (Pat. 376). A gorgeous red Rose, with large, full blooms on long stems. Ideal for cutting. A soft mellow fragrance adds to its charms. It will retain its color in the hottest sun. In 1940 this Rose received first award in the All America Rose Selections for Hybrid Teas. Dormant only, \$1.25 each, postpaid

DOUGLAS MacARTHUR (Pat. 581). A fine new Rose of unusual beauty and vigor. Like the great man it is named for, this new variety is a leader of distinction, a Rose that will stand out clearly among other Roses wherever it is planted. Its color combines salmon, rose and gold in a blend of unusual beauty. Dark green, healthy foliage. Dormant only, \$1.50 each, postpaid

Eclipse (Pat. 172). Long, streamlined buds, rich golden yellow without shading. Flowers large, rather loosely formed, of same golden yellow color, mild fragrance. Stock very limited this year. Dormant only, \$1.25 each, postpaid

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. Plants of excellent habit, producing a steady succession of long, pointed, glorious, scarlet-crimson buds, opening to rich intensely, fragrant, glowing red flowers of superb texture. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

Grenoble. A Rose of noble lineage and fine form, with straight, stiff flower stems and strong plant habit. The blooms are sparkling red. Reliable in every way. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

Joanna Hill. One of America's greatest Rose growers named this perfectly formed Rose after his daughter. No variety has enjoyed greater or more deserved popularity. Attractive buds of orange yellow open to orange centered cream colored blooms. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

KAISERIN AUGUSTE VIKTORIA. Large blooms of purest white with slight lemon yellow tinge in the deep center. Delightfully fragrant. We subscribe to the belief that this variety actually gives more satisfaction year in and year out than any other white Rose that has been introduced. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

Miss Rowena Thom. Long-pointed rose-pink buds opening to flowers of very large size, and alluring fragrance. Blooms as freely as Radiance. Unsurpassed for cutting. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

MME. CHIANG KAI-SHEK (Plant patent applied for.) A.A.R.S. award. A new Rose, introduced for the first time this season and bearing the distinction of having one of the A.A.R.S. awards of the year. A free blooming Hybrid Tea with long-pointed buds of clear lemon yellow. Long stems. Splendid foliage. Fine for cutting. Dormant only, \$2.00 each, postpaid

Mme. Jules Bouche. Beautifully formed, pointed buds, open to pure white flowers with a very faint pinkish tinge at the center. The strong, well branched plants are always in bloom. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

MRS. E. P. THOM. One of the very finest yellow Roses of recent introduction. Long pointed buds develop into large, well formed, fragrant blooms of deep canary-yellow. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

Mrs. Pierre S. Du Pont. A grand yellow Rose producing beautifully formed buds of rich golden yellow. A profuse and reliable bloomer. Fragrant. Highly recommended. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid.



Mme. Chiang Kai-shek

Mrs. Sam McGredy. An outstanding Rose. Exquisite flowers of scarlet orange changing to copper as the blooms mature. Delicately fragrant. Strong branching plants with healthy foliage. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

PINK DAWN. The deep pink buds open to flowers of a lively pink with orange bases. Intensely fragrant. The plants have a strong, upright habit. Considered one of the best of the modern pink Roses. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

President Herbert Hoover. There is no finer garden Rose than this one. The plants have astonishing vigor and produce long, handsome shaped yellow buds, deeply stained with maroon and copper. These open to big, half-double flowers of soft straw yellow, flushed with deep rose on the outer surface. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

Radiance. A two-toned silvery pink Rose that still maintains its enviable position as being "The Standard Pink Variety." Very fragrant. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

Texas Centennial. Vermilion red. A tall growing and distinguished sport of the ever popular Rose Pres. Herbert Hoover. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid

SNOW QUEEN

(Frau Karl Druschki)*

The Greatest Hybrid Perpetual Rose of All Time

For sheer beauty, purity of color, and perfection of form this purest of pure white Roses is outstanding among all other Roses of all classes. Very vigorous of growth, very hardy, and very large-flowered.

Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid

*Note:—Lambert the originator, first planned to call this Rose "Snow Queen" which name we now use.



THE GOLDEN ROSE OF CHINA

(Father Hugo's Rose)

A GLORIOUS GOLDEN SHOWER OF BLOOM IN MAY

From the bleak wastes of Western China comes "Father Hugo's" Rose. Generations of struggle to survive have imparted a hardiness seldom found in the Rose family.

This graceful shrub with its arching branches of golden flowers comes into bloom at the same time as the Darwin Tulips, and where these two Spring garden subjects are used together in working out a bulb garden planting, a truly rare picture of beauty may easily and inexpensively be painted. As an informal shrub in hardy borders or as an accent point in landscaping, the Golden Rose of China is most useful. The single flowers are 2 inches across. The foliage is fernlike.

See the picture above. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid

The Loveliest Single Rose in Existence

DAINTY BESS

The name of this charming Rose is indeed most appropriate. Its Clematis-like flowers measure 2½ to 3 inches across. The flesh pink petals with an odd old-rose tone on the backs, contrast charmingly with the large, flat clusters of dull crimson filaments that make up the centers. Very quaint and very lovely. Dormant only, \$1.00 each postpaid; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid.



Dainty Bess

CECILE BRUNNER

This is an oak-hardy, miniature-flowered Polyantha of truly rare beauty and form. Its tiny, shell-pink flowers, of perfect Rose bud form and Lilliputian size are borne in graceful sprays throughout the season. 2½ feet. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid



Else Poulsen

FLORIBUNDA ROSES

All Summer long, from June until Thanksgiving, and especially while the Hybrid Tea Roses are resting from their early season of abundant bloom, these tremendously worthwhile and altogether charming Roses literally "bloom their heads off," and help to create that all-important Midsummer smash of color that all flower lovers strive for in their borders.

Plant them with confidence, because they will surprise you and please you in every way! Floribundas grow vigorously into compact spreading bushes clothed with disease-free dark green foliage, and topped with billows of colorful bloom.

Betty Prior (Pat. 340). Clusters of glorious dark carmine flowers are produced in unbroken succession on strong, upright plants. The flowers are 3 to 4 inches across fragrant, and with light pink shading inside the petals. 2 to 3 feet.

Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid

Donald Prior (Pat. 377). Semi-double, cup-shaped flowers of bright scarlet, flushed crimson. Fragrant and extremely free blooming. Foliage dark green. Plants strong, growing to 3 feet.

Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid

ELSE POULSEN. Large, single flowers of brilliant rose pink, borne continuously in sprays on plants of erect habit. Fine, clean foliage. Very highly recommended. A very charming variety that never fails to please. 3 feet.

Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid

Gruss an Aachen. An outstanding bedding Rose, with flowers of Hybrid Tea character. Plants dwarf. Orange-red and yellow buds open to large, delicate yellow and pink flowers of great charm. 2 feet.

Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid

Summer Snow (Plant Pat. 416). Beautiful clusters of fully double snow white flowers. Fragrant. Dormant only, \$1.00 each, postpaid; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid.

Grow

APPLES

Each \$1.50

For 3 \$4.00

For 10 \$12.50

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Baldwin. The standard Winter Apple of Northeastern America. The fruits are attractive, large and of good quality; firm flesh and excellent flavor. Grand keeper.

Delicious. A very popular Autumn and early Winter Apple with a rich, distinctive flavor. A really handsome fruit, large, conical and striped red and yellow.

Gravenstein. A fine Apple of good size and attractive appearance; greenish yellow striped with both light and dark red. An Autumn variety; splendid cooking Apple.

McIntosh Red. The most popular New England Apple. Large, firm fruit of delicious quality and fine appearance. Our very best table Apple.

PEACHES

\$1.00 each, \$2.85 for 3

\$8.50 for 10

Shipped Via Express Collect

Champion. A freestone white Peach of large size and fine quality. Creamy white skin with red cheek. Early.

Crawford's Early. A rich yellow Peach of fine appearance. Juicy and superb quality. Freestone.

Elberta. The most widely grown and popular variety. Flesh yellow stained pink. Freestone. Late.

Golden Jubilee. A new, very hardy freestone variety. Skin yellow flushed red; flesh yellow, juicy and sweet. Early.

Hale-Haven. A large yellow fruit. Yellow fleshed; freestone and very hardy. Midseason.

PLUMS

\$1.75 each, \$5.00 for 3,
Via Express Collect

Abundance. Very large, reddish fruit; light yellow flesh; juicy and sweet.

Burbank. Large, dark violet-red fruits with sweet, juicy flesh of excellent quality.

CHERRIES

\$2.00 each, \$5.75 for 3,
Via Express Collect

Black Tartarian. One of the best of all the sweet Cherries, purplish black fruits with reddish flesh; firm, sweet and juicy.

Napoleon. Beautiful large fruits of excellent flavor; yellow with red cheeks. The flesh is tender, crisp and sweet.

Early Richmond. Our choice of sour Cherry for pies and preserves; fruit, dark red.

Blueberries

varieties which we ship in "Units of three."

THREE STRONG BUSHES (three varieties, our choice), carefully wrapped and postpaid, for **\$3.95** per unit

Cabot (Earliest) **Concord** (Early) **Jersey** (Midseason) **Rancocas** (Early) **Rubel** (Midseason)

Hybrid Blueberries have become amazingly popular for home garden growing. Success with them depends on three things: (1) suitable acid soil conditions; (2) proper planting; (3) planting several varieties in order to insure cross pollination. From the five varieties listed below we select three

Elberta

Hale-Haven

McIntosh

Fruits At Home

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Hardy Grapes

provide a support 6 feet or more in height. **60c. each, \$1.50 for 3, \$4.50 for 10, postpaid**
Concord. The best known of all the Grapes; late, blue-black
Fredonia. New black Grape; strong, healthy grower with large juicy berries; early Sept.
Worden. Dark purplish black berries, larger and 2 weeks earlier than Concord
Brighton. A sweet red Grape of high quality; earlier than Concord
Niagara. The leading white variety; ripens at the same time as Concord



Concord



Latham

RASPBERRIES

Of easy culture, growing well in any good soil and sunny exposure. Set the plants 3 feet apart.
Latham. The most popular variety. Large, round, very bright red berries; hardy, productive and of excellent quality. Sweet and of pleasing flavor.

\$1.50 for 10, \$12.50 per 100, prepaid

Columbian. The finest of all purple Raspberries. It is hardy, very productive and of handsome appearance. The berries are large with firm flesh and very delicious.

\$1.50 for 10, \$12.50 per 100, prepaid

Cumberland. Large black berries of excellent quality; very hardy, productive, juicy and sweet.

\$1.50 for 10, \$12.50 per 100, prepaid

Indian Summer, Everbearing. A superior variety in the so called "everbearing" group. Large, medium red fruits of good quality, ripening in early Summer, followed by an Autumn crop from early September until frost.

\$1.75 for 10, \$15.00 per 100, prepaid.



Eldorado



PEARS

Bartlett. Favorite Summer Pear and the most widely grown. Large waxy yellow fruits with a red blush. Flesh white and juicy, of good quality. Very productive.

Beurre Bosc. Very popular early Winter variety. Beautifully shaped large russet fruits with delicious white, juicy flesh; bears abundantly.

Sheldon. A fine late Summer Pear of good size and attractive appearance; light russet with ruddy cheeks. Flesh sweet, melting and juicy. Hardy and vigorous grower.

Seckel. Small, reddish brown Pears of exceptionally fine quality. Flesh juicy, sweet and of a distinctive and delicate flavor.

\$1.75 each, \$5.00 for 3, \$15.00 for 10, Via Express Collect

Perennial of Proven

← OLD SPICE

Here is a Dianthus of rare merit. It flowers all Summer long. The beautiful, salmon-pink blooms—produced on plants that are neat, cushion-like and compact—have a spicy fragrance that even the old time pinks of grandmother's garden could not boast of. Fred Rockwell in the *New York Times*, says of this wonderful Dianthus: "It is one of the finest new border flowers in a decade." We agree. You will never regret adding this to the list of your choice garden plants.

THREE for \$1.⁵⁰ DOZEN \$5.⁰⁰

1 EACH OF ALL 5	(As Illustrated)	\$2.50
3 EACH OF ALL 5	(As Illustrated)	\$6.50

**SPECIAL
OFFER** ↗

BLUE CARPET

A great improvement on *Campanula carpatica*. The fine blue, bell-shaped flowers are larger and the plants much more compact than in the older variety. Ideal for edging, either in full sun or semi-shade. A gem for the rock garden. Blooms from June to early Autumn.

THREE for \$1.⁶⁰ DOZEN \$6.⁰⁰



Campanula, Blue Carpet

MAYFIELD GIANT →

This lovely, strong growing and free flowering Shasta Daisy is a true Giant. Plants are of rugged growth, producing long stemmed and perfectly formed blooms in abundance. By removing the flowers as they fade, Mayfield Giant will continue to bloom throughout the Summer. It is one of the finest of all perennials for cutting.

3 FOR \$1.⁵⁰
DOZEN \$5.00



Specialties Merit

BLUE MOON

This Stokesia is a vigorous and free blooming perennial, of exceptional merit and distinction. The immense, light blue, disc-like flowers are 5 inches to 6 inches in diameter, growing on stiff, 12 to 18 inch stems. It is perfectly hardy, and no insects bother it. It flowers throughout the Summer and Autumn, until stopped by hard frosts. A most worthwhile addition to the hardy plant garden.

THREE for \$1.50 DOZEN \$5.00



CHARLES CURTIS

A most notable, new, hardy garden Phlox of recent introduction. The color is a sparkling and brilliant red—the kind of red that one occasionally sees in a breathtaking, early Autumn sunset. A fine, strong grower with healthy foliage. Does not fade.

THREE for \$1.50 DOZEN \$5.00

Choice Hardy Phlox Collection

MARIE LOUISE

The finest white. Extra large flowers.

CHARLES CURTIS

Sparkling and brilliant red of rare distinction.

MAID MARIAN

Lavender-lilac; a most appealing color.

GEORGE STIPP

Deep glowing salmon with lighter eye. Very beautiful.

DAILY SKETCH

Light salmon with crimson-rose eye. Very large florets.

LEO SCHLAGETER

Brilliant glowing scarlet. A "top-notch."

ALL SIX FOR

\$1.95
Postpaid

TWO COLLECTIONS \$3.75 POSTPAID

**In Five
Lovely
Clear
Colors**



**Pink
Cushion**

Collection of Cushion MUMS

**FIVE
STRONG
PLANTS**

(One each of
Five Colors)

Pink, White, Rosy Red,
Yellow, and a Bronzy Gold

\$1.65
Postpaid

TWO COLLECTIONS
(10 Plants)

\$2.95 Postpaid



(1) September Bronze
3 for \$1.00 Postpaid



September Cloud
3 for \$1.00 Postpaid



(3) Mrs. P. S. Du Pont III
3 for \$1.00 Postpaid



(4) Lavender Lady
3 for \$1.00
Postpaid



(5) Ember
3 for \$1.00 Postpaid

SPOTLIGHT Collection GARDEN Chrysanthemums

(The Six Illustrated)

Easy to Grow . . . Lovely to
Look At . . . In Bloom for
Weeks . . . Fine for
Cutting

\$1.95
Postpaid

2 COLLECTIONS

\$3.75

Postpaid



(6) Pale Moon
3 for \$1.00 Postpaid

Gadgets for Garden and Home



NEV-R-TIP FLOWER HOLDERS Pin Type Nev-R-Tip

Constructed with a heavy cast alloy base supporting sharp, needle-pointed, solid brass pins closely arranged. Postpaid—

- No. 12—Round, 2 1/4 in. diameter.....\$0.40
No. 13—Round, 3 1/8 in. diameter..... .75
No. 14—Round, 4 in. diameter..... 1.25
No. 74—Oval, 4 1/4 x 2 1/8 in..... 1.00

Dome Type Nev-r-Tip. Heavy cast alloy, non-rusting. Postpaid.

- No. 32—2 1/2 in. diameter.....\$0.35
No. 33—3 3/8 in. diameter..... .55
No. 34—4 1/2 in. diameter..... .75

Combination Type. Combining the advantages of both pin and dome design in one extra heavy holder.

- No. 54—3 1/2 in. diameter, postpaid.....\$1.00

No. 3221 Gift Set, consisting of 3 of these useful flower holders—2 "pin" type and 1 "dome" type, gift boxed, postpaid.....\$1.00

CITRODOR CANDLES



CitrOdor Candles (Mosquito Chasers). Here's the gift that will bring blessings on you next June. Burned in pairs, indoors or out, 15 feet apart, these essence of citronella candles will drive mosquitoes away. Famous CitrOdor Candles are guaranteed to burn 15 hours. Boxed in pairs with glass cups and complete with black holders. Postpaid, per pair \$1.00, 3 pairs \$2.85.

Candles for Refills. Postpaid, 6 for \$1.25, 12 for \$2.40. Save on 24 candles for \$4.50

BELLOWS

Woodason Powder Bellows. Heavy, well made single cone bellows. Used for dusting powder of any sort. Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 2 lbs.) \$4.00

BOOKS

Space prevents our usual extensive listing of Garden Books this year but we do carry an extensive line in both of our Boston Stores and we will welcome inquiries on any book on gardening or any allied subject. All books are sold at list prices and are postpaid by Breck's anywhere in the U. S. A.

BEETLE TRAPS

Japanese Beetle Traps. The most efficient trap on the market for destroying these pests. Complete with perforated metal container for catching beetles and 1 oz. of dry beetle bait.

Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 4 lbs.) \$1.10

Beetle Trap Standard Support. A 72-inch metal rod with 8 in. arm hook designed to be pushed into the soil.

Not prepaid, not mailable (Sh. wt. 4 lbs.) 35c.

Dry Bait.

2 3/4 oz., not prepaid, 25c.

Liquid Bait.

Oz. bottle, not prepaid, 15c.



Bulb Planter

BULB PLANTER

Bulb Planter. An efficient and handy little tool, made with a tapering, cup-like point which removes soil and leaves a perfect hole in which to plant bulbs or small plants. Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 1 lb.) 60c.



CHIMNEY SWEEP

Chimney Sweep Soot Destroyer. Will help clean your heating unit of fuel-wasting soot and fire scale. Its regular use gives lower fuel and maintenance cost with greater heating efficiency. May be used in coal or oil furnaces and wood or coal burning fireplaces and stoves.

Not prepaid, 3-lb. can (Sh. wt. 4 lbs.) \$1.00
6-lb. can (Sh. wt. 8 lbs.) \$1.89

EGG CRATES

Metal Egg Crates. Made of light but sturdy aluminized metal. Equipped with patented cardboard fillers with metal reinforced edges. Reversible address card placed under the lid provides for going and return addresses, eliminating readdressing for each shipment. Not prepaid.

- 2 doz. size (Sh. wt. 5 lbs.).....\$1.50
3 doz. size (Sh. wt. 6 lbs.)..... 1.75
4 doz. size (Sh. wt. 7 lbs.)..... 2.00
6 doz. size (Sh. wt. 9 lbs.)..... 2.50

"EROSIONET"



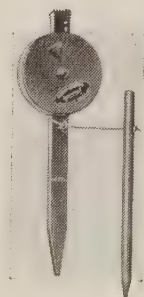
An inexpensive but strong, open-mesh fabric which is used to advantage for many purposes in garden work. "Erosionet" may be used for covering strawberry beds to protect the fruit from birds; in making new lawns where it is desirable to provide for the protection of young grass, or on steep banks where it will hold the soil and prevent washing and loss of turf by heavy rainfall. Also used for supporting Sweet Pea vines and shading coldframes or perennial seed beds. 45 inches wide. Descriptive circular will be mailed on request. Not prepaid (Sh. wt. per 10 yds. 5 lbs.) 15c. per linear yd., 100 yd. strips or more, 12c. per linear yd.

FLATS, WOODEN

"Long Life" Greenhouse Flats. Made of durable, lightweight, smooth-finish, Western Red Cedar; supplied "knocked down" but very easily nailed together with small wire nails. Outside dimensions, 24 in. by 13 in.; inside depth, 2 1/2 in. Not prepaid, not mailable (Sh. wt. per 5 flats, 13 lbs.) per 5, \$1.50; per 25, \$6.75

FLEX-BLADE

"Flex" Lawnmower Blade. A flexible, ever-sharp, unbreakable blade which is easily attached. Reverse the present blade and insert Flex-Blade. It will increase the efficiency and greatly prolong the life of your mower. Sizes: 14 in., 16 in., 18 in., 19 in., 20 in. and 21 in. Postpaid, \$2.00



GARDEN ROW MARKER

Neatest trick of the season for keeping garden rows and border edges straight. Always ready, always tidy. Nicely made in green, with reel and 50 feet of line. Not postpaid (Sh. wt. 2 lbs.) \$1.50 ea.

GLOVES

Genuine Horsehide

The toughest and finest heavy duty work glove; the best protection for the hands in every type of rough work, Winter or Summer. Postpaid, \$3.00 per pair

Ladies Gardening Gloves. Nicely made of heavy, soft kid. An excellent protection against dirt, scuffing or bruises. Splendid driving gloves.

Sizes, 6, 7 and 8, postpaid, \$1.95 per pair

GRAFTING WAX

Grafting Wax (Trowbridge's). The best on the market. Not postpaid, 1/4-lb. pkg. 25c., 1/2-lb. pkg. 35c., lb. pkg. 55c.

HOSE AND ACCESSORIES

Garden Club Hose. New "Buna" rubber. 5/8 inch size. Not prepaid.
50 ft. lengths (Sh. wt. 10 lbs.).....\$6.75
25 ft. lengths (Sh. wt. 6 lbs.)..... 3.75

Signal Hose. One brand, rubber covered. 5/8 inch size. Not prepaid.
50 ft. lengths (Sh. wt. 10 lbs.).....\$5.00
25 ft. lengths (Sh. wt. 6 lbs.)..... 2.75

Hose Washers. Rubber, tough and springy. Will not harden, shrink or fall out of coupling. Fit any hose. Postpaid, carton of 12, 10c.

Hose Couplings, Clincher. Dark green plastic body, plated steel fingers. Easily and securely attached with a hammer. Postpaid.

For 1/2-, 5/8-, and 3/4-in. hose, 25c. per set

Hose Menders, Clincher. Dark green plastic body, steel fingers. Easily and securely attached. Postpaid.

For 1/2-, 5/8-, and 3/4-in. hose, 10c. each

HOTBED MATS

Straw Hotbed Mats. Made by hand from fresh rye straw; thick and well put together. Not prepaid. Not mailable.
3x6 ft.—For 1 sash (Sh. wt. 12 lbs.)....\$2.50
6x6 ft.—For 2 sash (Sh. wt. 22 lbs.).... 4.25

KNEELING PADS

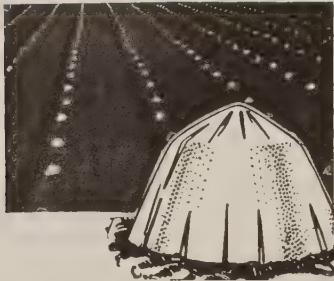
Knee Pads. Separate pads of heavy rubber to be strapped over and around each knee. They allow ample freedom and give great comfort as well as protection. Shaped to fit the knee. Postpaid, per pair \$2.00

For Available Tools, Not Catalogued, Visit Our Store at 85 Franklin Street, Boston.

HERB BOX



Here's an original gift idea for these days when out-of-the-ordinary cooking means so much. Five highest grade dried herbs, individually packed in glass jars with an attractive, practical recipe booklet to help you in the preparation of dozens of tasty, zestful meals. Postpaid, \$1.25



Hotkaps are patented, cone-shaped plant protectors made of special waxed paper; 11 in. in diameter and 6 in. high. They are all ready to place over plants or seeds in the field and serve as individual hothouses to protect against frost, rain, wind and insects. Scientifically designed and constructed to allow the proper amount of light and air, and at the same time give the necessary protection. They "force" plant growth, making healthier, stronger plants and producing bigger crops, from two to three weeks earlier. Not prepaid.

Package containing 25 Hotkaps and Paper Setter (Sh. wt. 2 lbs.).....\$0.50

Package containing 100 Hotkaps and Fibreboard Setter (Sh. wt. 5 lbs.)..... 1.95

Package containing 250 Hotkaps and Fibreboard Setter (Sh. wt. 9 lbs.)..... 3.50

Package of 1000 Hotkaps only (Sh. wt. 28 lbs.).....11.00



JARS PRESERVING

Kerr "Self Sealing" Jars. Round, clear crystal glass jars with a new self-seal cap that seals easily, quickly and securely — does away with old rubber rings. Proven by testing to be the finest jars yet for home canning. Complete with Kerr self sealing caps and lids. Not prepaid.

Size	Sh. wt.	Price	Per
	per doz.	per doz.	12 doz.
1 pint.....	9 lbs.	\$1.00	\$11.40
1 quart.....	13 lbs.	1.10	12.55

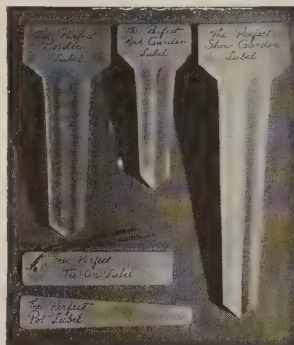


Indestructible Copper Tree Labels. A lasting wired label for permanently marking trees or shrubs. When marked

with a stylus or hard lead pencil the label is indented and the writing becomes permanent. For: 25 100

No. 1—3½x¾ in., postpaid.....\$0.60 \$2.00

No. 2—5x1½ in., postpaid..... .70 2.50



Perfect Garden Labels. There is a "Perfect Garden Label" for every purpose. They are indestructible and made in a soft green color which blends nicely with both plants and soil. An ordinary lead pencil will

mark them permanently. Neither sun, rain nor snows will obliterate the marking, but it can be readily erased at any time with a stiff pencil eraser, and the label can be used again.

	Postpaid for: 25	100
Rock Garden Label, 4 in.....	\$1.75	\$6.75
Border Label, 5 in.....	2.00	7.75
Show Garden Label, 7 in.....	2.50	9.50
Tie-On Label, 3½ in. copper wired	1.00	3.00
Pot Label, Tapering, 4 in.....	.85	2.50

Wood Tree Labels, Wired. Painted wooden labels equipped with wires, for marking trees or shrubs; also used extensively for labeling Dahlia tubers. Postpaid.

100	1000
3½x½ in.....	\$0.40 \$3.00

Wood Pot and Garden Labels. The popular painted wood label for marking plants in pots or seed flats. Postpaid for: 100 1000

4x½ in.....	\$0.30 \$2.20
5x½ in.....	.40 2.40
6x½ in.....	.45 2.75
8x½ in.....	.85 7.75
10x½ in.....	1.00 8.80
12x1½ in.....	1.35 12.55

"Garden Club" Plastic Hose Nozzle. An adjustable, modernly designed red plastic nozzle. Light in weight, smooth finish, and adjustable to a complete variety of sprays and streams; also leak-proof shut-off. A very satisfactory substitute for the standard brass nozzle. Postpaid, each 75c.

Allen "Cadet" Plastic Hose Nozzle. An attractively finished, green plastic nozzle which will throw various types of sprays and streams; has a positive leak-proof shut-off. Postpaid, each 45c.

"Green Thumb" Plant Bands. Individual square bands made from a fibre resin material which is highly compatible to plant growth. Used instead of pots in wooden greenhouse flats or boxes, for growing individual plants. Pkg. of 50, 1¼ in. bands, postpaid, 25c. Pkg. of 36, 2½ in. bands, postpaid, 25c.

"Green Thumb" Cabbage Maggot Protectors. Treated felt pads which protect Cabbage, Cauliflower, Broccoli, etc. from the Cabbage root maggot. They serve as a repellent and mechanical barrier to the small fly which lays the eggs. Recommended by Agricultural Colleges (24 to the pkg.) 2 pkgs. postpaid 20c.

"Green Thumb" Cutworm Protectors. 3 inch collars which are placed around Tomatoes, Peppers, etc. to guard against cutworms. Made from a heavy fiber resin material which does not disintegrate in the ground. Easily set in place and secured with a simple locking device. Pkg. of 50, postpaid, 25c.

"Green Thumb" Round Fibre Pots. Made from a fibre resin material, waterproof and mold resistant. Attractive, sturdy and strong. Excellent for growing seedlings and for packing plants for shipments. Not prepaid.

Diameter	Sh. wt., per 100	100	1000
2½ in.....	2 lbs.	\$1.10	\$9.40
2½ in.....	3 lbs.	1.25	10.30
3 in.....	3½ lbs.	1.35	12.20
3½ in.....	5 lbs.	1.70	15.40
4 in.....	7 lbs.	2.00	17.70
5 in.....	9 lbs.	2.75	25.50
6 in.....	12 lbs.	3.65	33.50

Indelible Garden Pencils. For marking wood labels. Postpaid, 20c. each, \$2.00 per doz.

Standard Earthen Flower Pots. The following are inside measurements; top diameter and depth being approximately equal. Not prepaid. Not mailable.

Diameter	Sh. wt., per doz.	Doz.	100
2½ in.....	5 lbs.	\$0.30	\$2.00
3 in.....	7 lbs.	.35	2.50
4 in.....	14 lbs.	.45	3.75
5 in.....	25 lbs.	.85	6.80
6 in.....	33 lbs.	1.25	10.00
7 in.....	50 lbs.	2.10	17.00
8 in.....	60 lbs.	3.25	24.50

Earthen Bulb or Seed Pans. Not prepaid. Not mailable.

Diameter	Sh. wt., per doz.	Doz.	100
6 in.....	28 lbs.	\$1.30	\$10.00
8 in.....	48 lbs.	3.25	24.50
10 in.....	58 lbs.	6.50	50.00
12 in.....	98 lbs.	14.00	....

Earthen Flower Pot Saucers. The following measurements are outside top diameter. Not prepaid. Not mailable.

Diam.	Sh. wt., per doz.	Doz.
3 in.....	4 lbs.	\$0.35
4 in.....	5 lbs.	.40
5 in.....	8 lbs.	.50
6 in.....	12 lbs.	.75
7 in.....	17 lbs.	1.00
8 in.....	23 lbs.	1.30

Osmo Pots. The three-in-one pot for growing, shipping and planting. Osmo Pots are made of specially prepared Osmoss (not paper). It will stand for weeks on a moist bench or in a flat without going to pieces. It will retain sufficient strength and moisture during shipping, and need not be removed when set out in the garden. Square pots. Not prepaid.

Pkg. of 60, 2 in. pots (Sh. wt. 1 lb.)....\$0.55

Pkg. of 130, 2 in. pots (Sh. wt. 2 lbs.).... 1.10

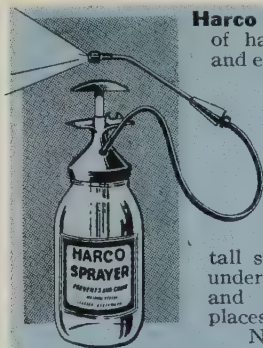
Pkg. of 35, 3 in. pots (Sh. wt. 1 lb.).... .55

Pkg. of 75, 3 in. pots (Sh. wt. 2 lbs.).... 1.10

Allen's Root Irrigator. There is nothing better for quick, efficient and thorough watering to a sufficient depth to properly saturate and soften the ground around deep rooted shrubs, trees and evergreens, and to dissolve the chemicals in the soil. Consists of a ½-in. pointed steel tube, 36 in. long, with three discharge openings spaced about 2 in. apart; first opening 6 in. from tip. Simply attach it to the end of an ordinary garden hose by the brass swivel connection. Equipped with brass shut-off. A splendid device and within the price range of every home owner. Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 3 lbs.) \$2.25

Hayes-Ette Sprayer. For small garden. To be attached to garden hose. Operates on 20 to 150 lbs. water pressure. Capacity 1½ gallons of mixed spray. Lightweight, compact and efficient; sprays all modern liquid spray materials. Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 3 lbs.) each \$2.95





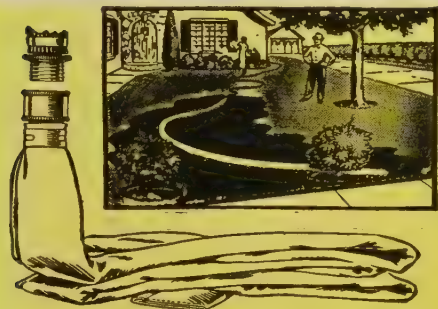
Harco Sprayer. A new type of hand sprayer, efficient and easy to use. Sprays up, down, or sideways, without adjustment. Just squeeze the hand-grip and with Harco's conveniently long extension rod you easily send a penetrating cloud of spray onto tops of tall shrubbery, 'neath the undersides of small plants, and into hard-to-reach places.

Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 3 lbs.) \$2.35



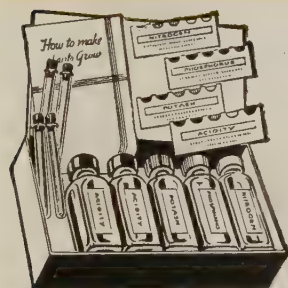
Hayes Jr. Spray Gun. For "average size" garden. A garden hose sprayer which fits on the end of hose and operates on water pressure from 30 to 175 lbs. Makes 3 gallons of mixed spray at a time. Just press the conveniently long lever and Hayes Jr. sprays.

Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 7 lbs.) each \$5.95



Soil Soaker. A simple device employing a new method of flower bed and garden irrigation. It puts water just where water is needed—right in the soil at the plant roots. The Soil Soaker is made of porous canvas. Attached to a garden hose it fills up and under normal pressure, water seeps through every pore of its entire length, soaking directly into the soil. No spray and no waste. Not prepaid.

No. 1—18 ft. long (Sh. wt. 1½ lbs.).....\$1.90
No. 2—30 ft. long (Sh. wt. 2 lbs.)..... 2.90
No. 3—50 ft. long (Sh. wt. 3 lbs.)..... 4.75



Sudbury Soil-Test Kit

nitrogen, phosphorus and potash contents and also the degree of acidity. They eliminate guesswork. No knowledge of chemistry is needed. With the aid of instructions enclosed it is easy to test your soil. Postpaid.

Home Garden Kit (20 tests).....\$2.00
Club Model (50 tests)..... 4.75
Horticultural Size..... 9.75
Professional Size, De Luxe Model.....22.50



Tulip Lawn Sprinkler. A simple but efficient lawn sprinkler of an attractive ornamental design. The head is made of tough plastic and the base of a special ceramic. Take care of this Tulip Sprinkler and it will do a splendid job of sprinkling for you.

Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 2 lbs.) \$1.25

Jumbo Tomato or Dahlia Stakes. Deluxe, foliage green, hardwood stakes (5½ to 6 feet long by 1½ inches in diameter) drilled with three handy holes for easy safe tying. Not prepaid. Not available.

(Sh. wt., 15 lbs. per doz.) Doz. \$3.50

Square Green Plant Stakes. Neat, tapering plant supports. Not prepaid, larger sizes not available.

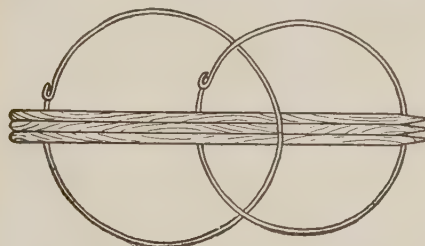
Height	Sh. wt. per doz.	Doz.	100
2 ft.....	1 lb.....	\$0.35	\$2.80
3 ft.....	2 lbs.....	1.10	8.30
4 ft.....	3 lbs.....	1.85	13.80
5 ft.....	9 lbs.....	2.75	20.90
6 ft.....	11 lbs.....	3.15	23.50

PAT. NO. 1916305.

S-L-N WIRE PLANT STAKE

S. L. N. Invisible Plant Stakes. Simple, inexpensive, green-enamelled heavy wire stakes with a patented feature that makes it possible to lock the plant to the stake without the use of tying material of any sort. A slight twist of the stake and plant is securely fastened.

Length	Sh. wt., per doz.	Doz.	25	100
18 in.....	1½ lbs.....	\$0.85	\$1.70	\$5.50
24 in.....	2 lbs.....	.90	1.80	6.00
36 in.....	3½ lbs.....	1.00	2.00	7.00
48 in.....	4 lbs.....	1.25	2.50	9.00



Tomato Supports, Wood and Wire. Two strong wire rings and three wooden uprights. Well constructed; will last for years. Folds flat when not in use, for storage. Not prepaid. Not available.

(Sh. wt. 20 lbs. per doz.) \$6.50 per doz.

TRELLISES

A quality product, neatly and strongly made of pine. Painted your choice of green or white—please specify which. Not carried in stock but shipped promptly from nearby factory, by express, charges collect. (No local free delivery). No charge for crating.



Fan Trellis



Lattice Trellis

Lattice Trellises. All lengths are 18 in. wide.
6 ft. \$2.25
8 ft. 2.75
10 ft. 3.40
12 ft. 4.25

Fan-shaped Trellises.
3 ft. x 16 in. 95c.
4 ft. x 27 in. \$1.50
6 ft. x 38 in. \$2.10
8 ft. x 46 in. \$2.95
10 ft. x 72 in. \$3.80

TYING MATERIALS AND DEVICES

Soft Jute Twine. Either natural gray color or green dyed. For tying up vines and plants. Not prepaid, ½ lb. ball (Sh. wt. 1 lb.) 35c.

Binder Twine. Inexpensive and practical for tying up specimen evergreens, Roses and all other plants that require Winter protection. Not prepaid, 5-lb. balls (Sh. wt. 6 lbs.) 85c.

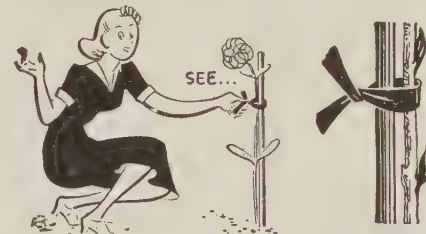
Raffia, Green Dyed. Not prepaid, ½-lb. pkg. (Sh. wt. 1 lb.) 75c.

Raffia, Natural. A palm-fiber used for tying plants, bunching vegetables, weaving, and basketry. In braids (uneven weights) just as pulled from the bale, smallest size averages 1¼ lbs. Not prepaid, 40c. per lb.

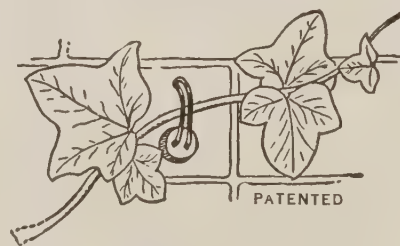
Silkalene. Used for tying up flowers in bouquet work. F, fine; FF, medium; FFF, coarse. Not prepaid, box of 8 spools (Sh. wt. 2 lbs.) \$3.00

'Twist-Ems.' New, handy Plant-ties for tying vegetable plants, particularly Tomatoes. Strong, broad, dark-green, tapes with invisible wire reinforcements. Easy to use, just a simple twist of the wrist and the plant is tied. Inexpensive, too. Postpaid.

7 in. size, per bundle of 250.....\$0.50
16 in. size, per bundle of 250..... 1.00



Wayward Vine Guide and Support. An efficient and practical device for training Ivy or other vines on brick, stucco, stone or cement walls without defacing the wall. The support consists of a small tab with a copper wire hook for holding the vine. The tab is very easily cemented into place and will remain indefinitely; not affected by any weather conditions. Available in three colors to match any wall—Red for brick, Gray or White for stone or cement. Postpaid. Box of 25 (including cement) \$1.00, 3 boxes for \$2.85



Wayward Vine Guide

Vyn-Tach Hooks. For wooden surfaces. Special nails with flexible tabs attached designed for attaching vines or climbing plants to wooden buildings or fences. Will not split shingles.

Postpaid, box of 25, \$1.00; 3 boxes, \$2.85

DO YOU NEED A GARDEN TOOL?

We have an excellent, well equipped **Hardware Department** in our store at **85 Franklin St., Boston**, and to those who can visit it conveniently we extend a hearty invitation. We are sorry that war conditions prevent cataloging our usual line of **Garden Tools and Requisites**. We do however have a great many items—but too few of any one to list—and these are on sale in that store.

If you are in need of any garden tool or implement, visit **BRECK'S at 85 Franklin St., Boston**, and you may find just what you want.

Fertilizers

Brexone FOR GARDENS and LAWN 5-10-4

Brexone is our own product blended according to specifications which are the result of years of study and experimentation. Government regulations no longer prevent the use of our prewar formula and therefore we can confidently promise that it will prove its high efficiency in the production of top-quality vegetable crops; beautiful, luxuriant lawn growth and healthy, colorful flowering plants.

Brexone has an organic base of the highest grade and all of the important plant-food elements—nitrogen, phosphorus and potash—in proper proportions for general use. The nitrogen carriers are carefully selected so that **Brexone** supplies immediate plant-food as well as long lasting nourishment for continued plant growth. Both phosphorus and potash are carried in the highest available forms and we know that **Brexone 5-10-4** will meet the most exacting requirements of vegetable growers, large and small, and of all who specialize in the growing of fine fruits or flowers.

The use of **Brexone** is not restricted.

Not prepaid, not mailable 50 lbs. \$2.85 100 lbs. \$4.50

HY-TROUS (4-8-4)

A scientifically balanced fertilizer, in concentrated liquid form, for use on shrubs, lawns, house plants and in Victory vegetable gardens. It will furnish all the nutrients necessary to bring plants into full, healthy maturity in the shortest length of time. It is odorless, economical to use and easy to apply. One tablespoonful to each gallon of water is sufficient.

Not prepaid, 3-oz. bottle 25c., 8-oz. bottle 59c., 16-oz. bottle 99c., 32-oz. bottle \$1.79
Not prepaid, not mailable Gal. (shipping weight, 20 lbs.) \$5.95

HY-GRO (13-26-13)

Hy-Gro is a soluble, odorless plant food for use either on vegetables, house plants, garden plants or on the lawn. It is especially valuable for crops growing under glass which need a powerful fertilizer that is instantly available. **Hy-Gro** food elements dissolve quickly in water, making a solution that will supply plants with all the nourishment they need for healthy, vigorous growth. Use at the rate of two tablespoonsful of powder to one gallon of water.

Postpaid, 3-oz. pkg. 25c.

Not prepaid, 20-oz. size \$1.00, 10 lbs. \$4.00

PLANT DINNER (5-7-5)

Plant Dinner is an odorless, easy to use and economical plant food for use on vegetable and flower gardens, shrubs, lawns or house plants. It contains the chemicals, vitamins and hormones known to be necessary to plant life. Dissolve one teaspoonful in one gallon of water and apply with a watering can. Postpaid, 6-oz. pkg. 75c., 1 lb. pkg. \$1.75, 5-lb. pkg. \$7.50

Breck's Victory Fertilizer 5-10-5

FOR FOOD PRODUCTION ONLY

This splendid plant food is based on our government's latest formula for 1944 Victory Gardens. The nitrogen content has been increased over that allowed last year and we are able now to offer a complete and balanced plant food which compares favorably with prewar fertilizers. **Breck's Victory Fertilizer** is restricted by government regulation to use on food crops only.

Not prepaid, 5 lbs. 50c. Not prepaid, 50 lbs. \$2.35, 100 lbs. \$3.70

VIGORO (4-12-4)

Here is news! **Vigoro** is back again. **Vigoro** the complete plant food for Lawns, Flowers, Trees and Shrubs. Uncle Sam has released the chemicals and here it is. Keep up the home front and give your lawns and plants a square meal. Its use is not restricted.

Not prepaid, 5 lbs. 45c., 10 lbs. 85c., 25 lbs. \$1.55
Not prepaid, not mailable, 50 lbs. \$2.65, 100 lbs. \$4.25

ELECTRA (4-9-3) GOLD STAR BRAND

The high organic, feeding, forcing, and finishing plant food for flowers and plants growing under glass. A complete plant food highly recommended by superintendents of private estates and commercial growers.

Not prepaid, not mailable, 25 lbs. \$4.00, 50 lbs. \$6.00, 100 lbs. \$10.50

PLANTABBS WITH VITAMIN B-1

A new plant food in tablet form which provides a clean, odorless, perfectly balanced and complete nourishment for small vegetable and flower gardens as well as potted plants. Clean and odorless.

Postpaid, 36 tablets 25c., 90 tablets 50c., 240 tablets \$1.00, 850 tablets \$2.75

PROCESSED MANURES

For the convenience of our customers we offer the following line of specially packaged fertilizers. The sizes are planned to meet the requirements of small users and each is packed in a siftproof container which will open to allow the fertilizer to be poured out for use.

Sheep Manure.

Pkg. (34 oz.) 20c. Pkg. (5 lbs.) 40c. Pkg. (20 lbs.) \$1.20

Cow Manure.

Pkg. (26 oz.) 20c. Pkg. (3½ lbs.) 40c. Pkg. (20 lbs.) \$1.20

SKINNER PORTABLE WATERING LINE for HOME GARDENS



At last the famous Skinner System, used by professional gardeners for 30 years, is available to you. The simplest device you've ever seen. No moving parts—cannot possibly get out of order. It will serve you for a lifetime. Works on ordinary house pressure—just fasten to garden hose. Its gentle spray (like a soft Summer shower) is wonderful for watering either vegetables or flowers.

Lightweight—easily and quickly moved from one part of your garden to another. In one location you get complete coverage of 50x18 ft. area simply by swinging handle to direct sprays straight up—to either side . . . or wherever you want.

Color: Foliage green, not prepaid, not mailable.

18-ft. length complete (shipping weight, 35 lbs.) \$12.95

Extra 9 ft. extensions to lengthen line (shipping weight, 15 lbs.) 6.25

The demand exceeded our supply last year. Please order early.

Agricultural Chemicals and Horticultural Sundries

SANI-SOIL

Sani-Soil is the remarkable new protective mulch and soil conditioner—made from the short, fluffy fibers in the bark of the Giant Redwoods. It forms a perfect insulation against excessive heat and extreme cold, yet it keeps the soil properly air conditioned and lets moisture seep through so that the earth is constantly moist and friable. **Sani-Soil** is clean and sanitary and possesses inherent qualities which repel insects and discourage fungous diseases. Does not rot or make humus quickly so it can be used over and over again—economical and easy to apply. This amazing product is an ideal mulch for Roses, Shrubs, Rhododendrons, Evergreens, Strawberries, etc. For greenhouse use **Sani-Soil** has unlimited possibilities. A 25-lb. bag will cover 30 square feet, approximately 1 inch deep. Not prepaid. Not mailable. 25 lbs. \$2.50, 100 lbs. (four 25 lb. bags) \$9.50

SUPER ADCO

For making Artificial Manure. Dry leaves, mixed with Adco and kept moist, turn into excellent manure. So do flower-stalks, cuttings, pea vines, and almost any other kind of non-woody vegetable waste. **Adco** is a powder which, mixed with vegetable matter and kept moist, turns the latter into real manure, but without odor, flies, etc. The process is perfectly simple and not at all laborious. Use 25 lbs. with about 12 wheelbarrow loads of garden waste. (*Directions accompany each shipment*).

25-lb. bag, not prepaid \$2.25; 150-lb. bag not prepaid, not mailable \$10.50

FLORALIFE

A powder which when mixed with water will prolong the life and beauty of cutflowers. Keeps them garden fresh from 3 to 5 days longer even in the abnormally warm, dry air of the average home. With Floralife there is no necessity to change the solution daily, merely add more water.

Postpaid, pkt. 10c., large pkg. \$1.00

POTTING SOIL, LEAFMOLD, ETC.

Potting Soil. Good quality loam. Untreated.

Bushel, not prepaid, not mailable (*shipping weight, 68 lbs.*).....\$1.25

Mapleval Leafmold. Best grade sifted leafmold.

20-lb. bag, not prepaid, not mailable..... 1.00

100 lbs., not prepaid, not mailable..... 3.75

Greenhouse Sand. Specially graded coarse sharp sand for rooting cuttings and mixing with potting soil.

Peck, not prepaid, not mailable (*shipping weight, 29 lbs.*)..... .60

Bushel, not prepaid, not mailable (*shipping weight, 112 lbs.*)..... 2.00

Sphagnum Moss. Not prepaid, not mailable (*shipping weight, 15 lbs.*) Per bale..... 3.50

FINE HORTICULTURAL PEAT MOSS

One of the best known and most widely used commercial products for conditioning soil and for mulching. Except for old-fashioned barnyard manure, no other product so nearly fills the need for organic matter in soil. The addition of substantial quantities to the garden will add to the soil's ability to hold moisture through dry weather; will aerate the ground and will so improve the texture of clay soils that they will not form a hard top crust. It is impossible to mention the many spots where it may be used to advantage but for mulching Evergreens, Roses or Strawberries it is hard to beat. A full carton bale will cover 250 square feet approximately 1 inch deep. Only 1½ bu. size is mailable.

Full Carton Bale—Not prepaid (*shipping weight, 145 lbs.*).....\$4.50

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1½ Bushel Carton—Not prepaid (*shipping weight, 14 lbs.*)..... 1.20

AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS

Aluminum Sulphate. Commercial grade. Used to create an acid condition in the soil for Rhododendrons, Azaleas or other acid loving plants.

Not prepaid, 5 lbs. 40c., 10 lbs. 75c.

Not prepaid, not mailable, 100 lbs. \$4.00

Calcium Chloride. Used on walks or roadways as a dust layer and surface binder. One bag is sufficient for 50 sq. yds. of surface. Supplied in 100-lb. bags only.

Not prepaid, not mailable, 100 lbs. \$2.70

Copperas (Sulphate of Iron). Finely pulverized. A valuable disinfectant and weed-killer.

Not prepaid, 5 lbs. 40c., 10 lbs. 75c.

Not prepaid, not mailable, 100 lbs. \$4.50

Copper Sulphate (Blue Stone). Fine granulated. A chemical that is used as a fungicide; the chief ingredient of Bordeaux Mixture. It is also used for destroying slime and algae in pools.

Not prepaid, lb. 15c., 10 lbs. \$1.15

Not prepaid, not mailable, 100 lbs. \$10.00

Land Lime (Magnesium Limestone). A fine non-caustic limestone. Not a plant-food but used to correct the acid condition of the soil.

Not prepaid, not mailable, 100 lbs. \$1.50, ton \$18.00

Lime, Hydrated. Fine-ground caustic lime for use on land. Must not be used in the vicinity of growing plants or at the same time as fertilizer is applied. Also used in spray mixtures and for whitewashing.

Not prepaid, 10 lbs. 35c., 25 lbs. 60c.

Not prepaid, not mailable, 50 lbs. \$1.00, 100 lbs. \$2.00

Salt, Agricultural. For killing weeds in Asparagus beds, walks, driveways, etc. (We do not break bags).

Not prepaid, not mailable, 100-lb. bags only \$1.75

Superphosphate (Acid phosphate, 18% to 20%).

Not prepaid, not mailable, 50 lbs. \$1.70, 100 lbs. \$2.70

Chemical and Bacterial Aids to Plant Growth

(NOT FERTILIZERS)



FOR BIGGER
AND BETTER
CROPS

Legume inoculants are cultures of living root-nodule bacteria and **Legume-Aid** is an outstanding brand name among these inoculants.

Treating seeds before sowing with these bacteria causes nodules to develop on the roots of legume crops. These nodules gather nitrogen from the air and convert it into plant-food.

50505—Legume-aid Garden Packet. A combination packet for inoculating Garden Peas, Sweet Peas, Garden Beans and Lupines. Will treat 5 lbs. of seed. Postpaid 10c.

60C06—Legume-Aid Packet for Edible Soybeans. Sufficient for the treatment of 5 lbs. of seed. Postpaid, 10c.

Legume-Aid for Alfalfa and Clovers.

One bushel size, postpaid, 50c.; 2½ bushel size, postpaid, \$1.00

Legume-Aid for Garden and Field Peas, and Vetch.

One bushel size, postpaid, 30c.; 100-lb. size, postpaid, 50c.

Legume-Aid for Soybeans (All Varieties).

Two bushel size, postpaid, 30c.; 5-bushel size, postpaid, 55c.

Legume-Aid for Garden and Lima Beans, Cowpeas and Peanuts.

One bushel size, postpaid, 30c.; 100-lb. size, postpaid, 50c.

HORMODIN

The root forming chemical. **Hormodin** stimulates rapid root growth on plant cuttings and makes easy the rooting of many plants which were formerly impossible or very difficult to root.

Powder No. 1. Designed for use on Carnations, Chrysanthemums, etc. Postpaid, trial size pkg. 25c., 1¾-oz. tin 50c., 1-lb. tin \$3.00

Powder No. 2. Designed for use on the semi-woody types and many of the common shrubs. Postpaid, 1¾-oz. tin 75c., 1-lb. tin \$4.50

Powder No. 3. Designed for evergreens and dormant leafless cuttings. Postpaid, 1-oz. tin \$1.00, ½-lb. tin \$4.50

Combination Package. Powders No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3 in 1 carton. Postpaid, 75c.

ROOTONE

The plant hormone powder. Rootone is not a fertilizer or plant food but is a root forming stimulant. Just dip cuttings into the powder. Shake off any excess and plant. Rooting takes place in a much shorter time, heavier root system is formed and fewer die from disease. The ¼-oz. pkt. treats 400 cuttings. Postpaid, ¼-oz. pkg. 25c., 2-oz. \$1.00, lb. \$5.00

TRANSPLANTONE

A vitamin-hormone stimulant for plants. **Transplantone** contains Vitamin B-1 and other parts of the Vitamin B fraction, plus certain plant hormones which are active in root formation. Dissolve one level teaspoonful in one gallon of water. Soak the soil around the plant roots with this solution immediately after transplanting. ½-oz. package is sufficient for 5 gallons. Postpaid, ½-oz. pkg. 25c., 3-oz. \$1.00, lb. \$4.00

FRUITONE

Fruitone is a powder containing the synthetic hormones which have been found to be most effective in stopping the premature drop of Apples. Mix at the rate of 1 level teaspoonful to 1 gallon of water or 2 ounces to 25 gallons. The trees should be sprayed immediately, when dropping begins. **Fruitone** is also used on other fruit and vegetable crops as an aid to pollination. If the flowers of such plants as Beans, Peas, Tomatoes, etc. are sprayed with **Fruitone** a much larger percentage will set fruit or seed and the resulting crops will be increased.

Postpaid, 2/5 oz. pkg. 25c., 2-oz. can \$1.00, 12-oz. can \$5.00

BREXONE VITAMIN B-1

Vitamin B-1 is a root invigorator, not a fertilizer. It stimulates the growth of roots and thus enables plants to derive the greatest benefit from the soil in which they grow. A drop of **Vitamin B-1** in 2 quarts of water is sufficient. A 2-ounce bottle will make 500 gallons of solution. Directions with each bottle. Postpaid, 2-oz. bottle 50c.

INSECTICIDES, FUNGICIDES AND MISCELLANEOUS HORTICULTURAL AND AGRICULTURAL MATERIALS

INCLUDING PAINTS — REPELLENTS — RODENT KILLERS —
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ARNOLD GARDEN HOSE INSECTICIDE SPRAYER

A simple and highly efficient mixing and spraying device which is attached to the ordinary garden hose in place of the regular nozzle. The water from the hose passes through a chamber in which a cartridge has been placed. The cartridge dissolves slowly but in sufficient quantity to provide the correct strength to the solution that is forced out of the nozzle in a fine, cloud-like spray.

Arnold Victory Sprayer. A transparent cartridge chamber, plastic spray cap, and removable leather washer-agitator. Postpaid \$1.00

ARNOLD CARTRIDGES

Postpaid Each 35c., doz. \$4.00

Arsen-O-Spray. For the control of leaf eating insects such as caterpillars, codling moth, etc.

Cryolitespray. An effective nonpoisonous control of practically all chewing insects. A safe spray for vegetables.

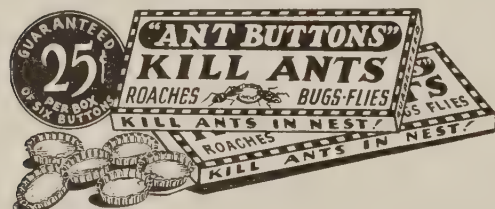
Funguspray. The control of stem rot, fruit rot, blight, etc.

Nic-O-Spray. Kills by contact, scale, aphids, ants, etc.

Sulph-O-Spray. For control of mildew, cedar rust and brown rot.

Vitamin B-1. A cartridge for supplying Vitamin B-1 to all growing plants.

ADCO (See Super Adco, page 69.)



ANT BUTTONS. For ants and roaches. Kills them in the nest. Postpaid. Pkg. 25c.



ANTROL (Kills Ants in the Nest). Antrol sets consist of small glass jars which when filled with syrup are placed in ant-infested locations. The use of Antrol results in effective control of both sweet and grease-eating ants.

Ready-filled Sets. Containing 4 feeders filled with syrup. Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 1 lb.) 40c.

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Syrup. 4-oz. bottle. Not prepaid, 20c.

ANTROL ANT TRAP. Can be used inside or outside the house. A safe container. Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 2 ozs.) 10c.

ANT POWDER, MECHLING. Kills house and garden ants. Postpaid, 2-oz. can, 25c.

ANTUBE, BUCKEYE. Simple, quick and easy method of exterminating ants. The antube comes equipped with a dropper attachment for safe and economical application. A drop of Buckeye Antube placed on the sand heap beside the ant hill will exterminate a small colony in 24 hours. Larger colonies require more.

Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 4 ozs.) Home size 35c.

Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 8 ozs.) Country Club size \$1.00

ANTZIX. Positively kills all sweet-eating ants, employing a new toxic agent which kills slowly and thus permits worker ants to return to the nest with the syrup before dying. Thus the entire colony is destroyed.



Household Ramp Set. Consisting of 1¼-oz. bottle of Antzix syrup with an adjustable ant ramp or support which makes access to the poison easy. Postpaid, 30c.

Small Home and Garden Set. Contains a 2-oz. bottle of Antzix Syrup and two patented dispensers, constructed to make available to the ants, a sufficient supply of syrup. Not prepaid (Sh. wt. ¾ lb.) 50c.

Large Home and Garden Set. A 4-oz. bottle of Antzix Syrup with four patented Antzix dispensers.

Not prepaid (Sh. wt. 1¼ lbs.) 75c.

Antzix Syrup.

Not prepaid, 4-oz. bottle 50c., pt. \$1.50

ANTI-BEETLE GRUB FORMULA. Kills beetle grubs in lawns and flower gardens. The recommended application is 10 lbs. evenly distributed over about 485 sq. ft. of soil during April or May; or later when the grubs are feeding in August or September.

Not prepaid, 10 lbs. \$1.90

Not mailed, 25 lbs. \$4.00, 50 lbs. \$7.00
100 lbs. \$12.30

ARSENATE OF LEAD. Highest quality lead. The standard insecticide for all leaf-eating insects on trees, shrubs and plants. For general use 2 tablespoonsful to 1 gal. of water.

Not prepaid, lb. pkg. 30c., 4 lb. pkg. \$1.00

Not mailed, 48-lb. carton, \$9.00

"BLACK LEAF 40." A concentrated solution of Nicotine Sulphate. Active ingredient, Nicotine 40%. For spraying to destroy soft-bodied sucking insects. Not prepaid, oz. bottle 35c., 5-oz. bottle \$1.00, lb. tin \$2.50, 2-lb. tin \$3.75. Not mailed, 5-lb. tin \$6.90, 10-lb. tin \$11.65

BONCOP. A rotenone-copper, insecticide-fungicide dust for the control of certain insects, blights, leaf spots, mildew and other plant diseases. Effective and easily applied. Restricted to use in the production of food crops.

Not prepaid, lb. 35c., 5 lbs. \$1.25

BONROTE. A rotenone-sulphur, insecticide-fungicide dust for the control of Mexican Bean Beetles and other insects as well as for the control of certain plant diseases. Particularly desirable for use on vegetables because it is non-poisonous. Restricted to use in the production of food crops.

Not prepaid, lb. 35c., 5 lbs. \$1.25

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1 qt. = 3 lbs.

1 pt. = 1½ lbs.

1 gal. = 10 lbs.

BORDEAUX MIXTURE. This is the standard remedy for fungous diseases. Use 1 lb. to 8 gals. water for all ordinary spraying.

Not prepaid, lb. 30c., 4 lbs. \$1.00

Not mailed, 48-lb. carton \$9.00

CALCIUM ARSENATE. Cheap, quick-acting poison for potato bugs and other leaf-eating insects.

Not prepaid, lb. 20c., 4 lbs. 50c.

Not mailed, 48-lb. carton \$5.00

CALCIUM CASEINATE, A-1. A combination spreader and adhesive that gives increased coverage and added efficiency to any spray with which it has been mixed. 2 lbs. makes 100 gallons of spray.

Not prepaid, 2-lb. bag 55c., 10 lbs. \$2.70

Not mailed, 25 lbs. \$6.50, 50 lbs. \$12.00,
100 lbs. \$22.50

CERESAN (See Semesan Products page 72).

CHAPERONE DRY POWDER. For indoor use to keep dogs away, protecting rugs and furniture. Does not discolor any material. Large duster cone container. Postpaid, \$1.00

CHAPERONE, Liquid. For outdoor use only. It drives dogs away. Spray without diluting on shrubs, trees, hedges, etc. Use fine mist sprayer. Not prepaid, 4-oz. bottle 50c., 12-oz. size \$1.00, qt. \$2.00

COPPER SULPHATE (or Blue Stone). Fine granulated. Not prepaid, lb. 15c., 10 lbs. \$1.15. Not mailed, 100 lbs. \$10.00

CORN, EARWORM CONTROL. A preparation which applied to the corn silk after it has wilted, controls earworms. Apply with dropper which accompanies each bottle. Not prepaid, 2 oz. bottle with dropper 35c.

CREOSOTE, Cabot's Gypsy Moth. This Mixture is sure death to the eggs of the gypsy moth, tussock moth and similar insects.

Not prepaid, qt. 45c. Not mailed, gal. \$1.10

CROW FEZ. The economical Crow-repellent. "A good buy for you and a goodbye to crows." A liquid to be sprayed over the seed. Full instructions on cans. Non-poisonous, assists in preventing seed-rot. A great protection against the labor of replanting. ½ pt. is sufficient for a bushel of Corn.

Not prepaid, ½ pt. 35c., pt. 50c., qt. 75c.

CUTWORM KILLER "GO WEST." A bait made from chopped sweet apples, combined with poison, under a patented formula. It is extremely attractive to cutworms, slugs, earwigs, grasshoppers and vegetable weevils and retains its killing properties for many days, rain or shine. Spread on the soil around plants.

Not prepaid. Garden size (Sh. wt. 1¼ lbs.) 60c.



Market size (Sh. wt. 12 lbs.) \$4.50. Half acre size, not mailed (Sh. wt. 55 lbs.) \$15.00

CUTWORM BAIT. A ready mixed poison bait for cutworms, sowbugs and earwigs. Scatter on the ground between plants.

Not prepaid, 7 oz. jar 50c.

CYANOOGAS A-DUST. For the control of rats, woodchucks, moles and other rodents, as well as ants and similar insects. Complete instruction pamphlet in every can. Not prepaid. Not mailed. Lb. can 75c.,

5-lb. can \$3.00, 25-lb. pail, \$10.00

CYANOOGAS ANT KILLER. A gas producing powder applied directly to ant nests in lawns and gardens. 4-oz. container, enough to kill a million ants. Prepaid, 30c.

CYANOOGAS G-FUMIGANT. The most widely used greenhouse insecticide. Used for the fumigation of mushroom houses, soil fumigation, grain fumigation, and mills and warehouses. Complete instruction pamphlet in container. Not prepaid. Not mailed.

5-lb. can \$3.00, 25-lb. pail \$10.00

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DOGZIX. A liquid to be sprayed directly onto evergreens, trees, and shrubs without dilution. Dogzix odor is offensive and drives and keeps dogs away. Postpaid.
3-oz. bottle 45c., 6-oz. bottle 65c.

FORMACIDE (Stabilized Formaldehyde Dust). Seed and soil treating compound. Controls "damping-off" of seedlings, root and stem rots. Use 8 ozs. to a bushel of potting soil or 1½ ozs. per square foot, in beds, benches or flats. Postpaid.
Lb. can 85c., 5-lb. can, \$2.50

FRUITONE (See page 69).

FUME-OGEN. It chases pests away and helps keep them away. A scientific dog and ant repellent—it protects garden plants from dogs—it chases ants off lawns, walks and flower beds—it quickly rids the home of ants. When cultivated into the soil or when spread lightly on the surface it will control many soil insects. Sold in handy shaker.

Not prepaid, 9-oz. can for 50c.



FUNGTROGEN. This highly concentrated fungicide prevents mildew on Roses and on many other plants and effectively checks black spot. For mildew on Phlox we recommend it very highly. It leaves no residue on the foliage. Not prepaid, ½ pt. 75c., pt. \$1.25, qt. \$2.00
Not mailable, ½ gal. \$3.50, gal. \$6.00

GRAFTING WAX, Trowbridge's.

Not prepaid, ¼ lb. 25c., ½ lb. 35c., lb. 55c.

GREENTOX. Greentox contains Rotenone and other active principles of Derris and Cube, combined with fumigants and effective spreading agents in such a manner as to give effective control of an unusual variety of insects. You will prefer Greentox because it is a super-Rotenone spray and actually kills insects—because it is stainless, economical, and non-poisonous when used as directed—and because this single spray can rid plants and vegetables of practically all the insects that will attack them. Restricted to use in the production of food crops. Average dilution 1 oz. to 3 gals. of water. Not prepaid

Oz. 35c., 6 ozs. \$1.00, 16 ozs. \$2.00, 32 ozs. \$3.50
Not mailable, gal. \$12.00

HORMODIN (See page 69).

HYDROXIDE. A combination spray—Calcium arsenate and metallic copper; controls practically all leaf eating insects and also fungous diseases. Particularly effective on potatoes, tomatoes and small fruits. Minimum solution, 1 lb. to 10 gals. of water. Not prepaid, lb. 40c., 4 lbs. \$1.00

Kryocide

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

NATURAL CRYOLITE

KRYOCIDE. Is a natural cryolite home garden insecticide for the effective control of chewing insects. To be combined with water and used as a spray. The usual rate is 1½ ozs. to each 3 gals. of water. Not prepaid, lb. 35c.

Kryocide D-50

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

(NATURAL CRYOLITE WITH SULPHUR)

A Ready Mixed Dust

KRYOCIDE D-50. Is a combination of natural cryolite and sulphur, making an effective dusting material for combating both leaf eating insects and fungous diseases on a wide variety of vegetables, fruits, shrubs and flowers. A poison to insects but not fatal to humans. The pound size is designed so that the powder may be dusted directly from the container.

Not prepaid, lb. can 50c., 3 lbs. 85c.

LEGUME-AID (See page 69).

LEMON OIL. Readily soluble in water. It destroys insects and parasites of all kinds. Especially recommended for house plants. Use for Ivy Scale, etc. Mix 1 tablespoonful with 2 cups warm water.

Not prepaid, ½ pt. 35c., pt. 60c., qt. \$1.00
Not mailable, gal. \$3.00

LIME, Snow Fluff Brand. A superfine powdered hydrated lime especially prepared for spraying and dusting.

Not prepaid, 10-lb. paper bags, 50c. each
Not mailable, 50-lb. bags \$2.00

LIME SULPHUR, Dry. An effective dormant spray against scale. Use from 12 to 14 lbs. of Dry Powdered Lime-Sulphur, dissolved in 50 gallons of water.

Not prepaid, lb. pkg. 30c., 5-lb. pkg. \$1.25
Not mailable, 25 lbs. \$4.00, 100-lb. keg \$14.00

LIME-SULPHUR, Liquid. A dormant spray material against scale of all kinds. Dilute with cold water—1 gallon makes 10 gallons of spray.

Not prepaid, qt. 50c.
Not mailable, gal. \$1.20

MAGITEX. The easy-to-use super-efficient and safe shampoo for dogs and cats. Magitex eliminates tubbing, rinsing and drying. This amazing shampoo cleans, deodorizes, kills parasites, tones skin and coat. Just dilute in a cup of water, rub in and wipe off.

Not prepaid, 8-oz. bottle \$1.00

MASKS, PROTECTIVE

(Martindale Pattern)

A simple but effective device which will protect the wearer from dust, mist and vapors while dusting or spraying insecticides, also of great help when working in any dusty atmosphere.

Postpaid, 65c.

Extra Filters. . . . Postpaid, pkg. of 25, 75c.

MOLOGEN

(Trade Mark)

MOLE KILLER

MOLOGEN. Is an odorless powder which will eliminate moles from the lawn or garden within two or three days. It is perfectly safe, easy to use and will not injure either plants or grass in any way.

Not prepaid, ½-lb. can 50c., 1½ lbs. \$1.25
5 lbs. \$4.00

MOUSE KILLER, Sanaseed, Bonide. Most attractive to mice, killing them quickly. Simply sprinkle from the package. Postpaid.

Small bag 15c., large pkg. 25c.

MOUSE SEED. An effective means of ridding cellars, pantries and attics of mice.

Postpaid. Pkg. 25c.

NICO-FUME LIQUID. A greenhouse fumigant and spray material.

Not prepaid, lb. can \$2.25, 4-lb. can \$5.75
Not mailable, 8-lb. can \$10.00

NICO-FUME POWDER. A greenhouse fumigant for the control of numerous insect pests. ½-lb. and lb. sizes packed in pressure fumigator containers.

Not prepaid, ½-lb. tins 45c., lb. tins 75c.,
5-lb. cans \$3.65, 10-lb. cans \$6.30

Metal holder for ½-lb. and lb. tins. Not prepaid.
(Sh. wt. 2 lbs.) \$1.00

Why Bugs Leave Home



TRADE MARK REG.

O. K. PLANT SPRAY (Wilson's). Effective in killing aphids, thrips, lacewing fly, currant worms and many other insects. Spray with 1 part of Wilson's O. K. to 15 parts of water.

Not prepaid, ½ pt. 40c., qt. \$1.00
Not mailable, gal. \$3.00, 5 gals. \$12.00

PAINT, Cabot's Black Tree-healing. A special preparation used extensively by professional arborists, and invaluable for treating wounds and exposed ends of amputated branches. Everyone should give special attention at this time to preserving ornamental and shade trees.

Not prepaid, qt. can 40c.
Not mailable, gal. \$1.25

PAINT, "Pine-White" Whitewash. Sanitary, deodorant, disinfectant. Brightens, whitens, disinfects. Dries white, stays white. For basements, cellars, chicken houses, dairy barns, dog kennels, factories, farm buildings, etc. Adheres to stone, granite, concrete, brick, tile, metal, wood, composition board. For use with brush, spray or as dust.

Not prepaid, 5 lbs. 60c., 10 lbs. \$1.00
Not mailable, 25 lbs. \$2.25, 50 lbs. \$3.75,
100 lbs. \$7.00

PARIS GREEN. An old-time insecticide for leaf eating insects.

Not prepaid, ¼ lb. 25c., lb. 50c.

PASTOXINE. A non-poisonous rat exterminator in jelly form. Harmless to human beings and domestic animals. Developed by the Pasteur Laboratories, France. Requires no preparation, no mixing.

Not prepaid, oz. pkg. 60c., lb. jar \$5.00

Pomo-Green

WITH NICOTINE

POMO-GREEN WITH NICOTINE. A combined insecticide and fungicide for the control of black spot and mildew on plants and shrubs, especially Roses. Does not show on the foliage.

Not prepaid, lb. 80c., 5 lbs. \$3.30

PYRETHRUM DUST (Garden Guard). For your Victory Garden. An effective and safe (not injurious to humans and warm-blooded animals) insecticide-powder for use on vegetable crops. Acts both by contact and as a stomach poison on a wide range of plant pests.

Not prepaid, 1-lb. sifter carton 40c.,
4-lb. bag \$1.00

PYROX WITH NICOTINE. A well known combination insecticide and fungicide. Kills both sucking and leaf eating insects, and is very effective against many fungous diseases. Used widely as a complete spray for potatoes. The 20 oz. jar will make 4 gallons of spray.

Not prepaid, 20-oz. jar 60c., 5 lbs. \$2.00

NOTICE

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1 pt. = 1½ lbs. 1 gal. = 10 lbs.



RABBIT REPELLENT. A material which keeps rabbits out of the garden. Scatter over the surface of the soil and it will prevent their eating carrots, peas, etc. Not prepaid, lb. 45c., 5 lbs. \$1.75

RAT BAITS, Top-zol Bonide. Individually wrapped baits easily distributed in rat-infested areas.

Not prepaid, pkg. (10 baits) (Sh. wt. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.) 20c.

RAT KILLER, Blue Death, Bonide. Slow-acting poison. Rats die in the open; just spread as it comes from the tube on bread, meat, sausage, or other bait.

Not prepaid, tube (Sh. wt. $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.) 35c.

RED ARROW GARDEN SPRAY. A highly concentrated non-poisonous Pyrethrum Soap spray for killing both sucking and chewing insects. One teaspoonful per quart of water is sufficient.

Not prepaid, oz. 35c., 4 ozs. \$1.00, pt. \$2.85

ROOTONE (See page 69).

ROTENONE DUST

(Bonide Rotosyn)

Rotenone, $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. Dry powder, non-poisonous to humans. Easily applied. Excellent control for leaf-eating insects on all crops; recommended for Mexican bean beetle; cabbage worms, aphids, etc. Restricted to use in the production of food crops.

Not prepaid, lb. 30c., 5 lbs. \$1.00
Not mailable, 25 lbs. \$4.50

SCALECIDE. Reliable, simple, and economical spray for scale and soft-bodied sucking insects. A soluble miscible oil that mixes instantly with cold water and stays mixed. Spray thoroughly, using finest nozzle. For dormant spraying use 1 part Scalecide with 15 parts water. Not prepaid, not mailable. Qt. can 75c., gal. can \$1.75, 5-gal. can \$6.35, 15-gal. drum \$14.95, Ask for quotations on larger sizes

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ARASAN. A new treatment for a wide variety of vegetable seeds. This organic seed disinfectant and protectant, provides a means of combating the ever present problem of securing full stands of vigorous, healthy, normal seedlings. Prevents seed decay caused by fungi and bacteria.

Not prepaid, 8 ozs. 80c., 5 lbs. \$6.45

CERESAN, New Improved. A dry disinfectant for seed wheat, barley, rye, oats and flax. Generally controls covered smuts, certain other seed-borne diseases; frequently improves yields. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. treats 1 bu. of seed grain.

Not prepaid, 4-oz. can 30c., 1-lb. can 80c., 4-lb. can \$2.70

70707—SEMESAN. Aids in reducing rots of flower and vegetable seeds and in checking damping-off of seedlings. *Not to be used for treating lawn diseases.* (See Thiosan.) 1 oz. treats 15 to 60 lbs. of seed. Postpaid, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. envelope 10c., 2-oz. can 40c., 1-lb. can \$2.50, 5-lb. can \$11.40

80808—SEMESAN BEL. Easy, quick dip treatment for seed Potatoes. Usually controls such seed-borne diseases as scab and Rhizoctonia. Generally reduces seed-piece rotting and frequently gives increased yields of better quality. Dip, drain, dry and seed potatoes are ready for planting. 1 lb. treats 60 to 80 bus of seed. Postpaid, 2-oz. pkg. 30c., 1-lb. can \$1.65, 5-lb. can \$7.15

SEMENSAN, JR. A double-acting seed disinfectant for certain surface seed-borne diseases of Corn. Generally reduces seed rotting and seedling blights and permits early planting. Experiment station tests show an increased yield per acre. Inexpensive. $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz. pkg. treats 1 bu. of seed. Not prepaid.

$1\frac{1}{2}$ -oz. pkg. 15c., 12 ozs. 56c., 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. can \$3.75

THIOSAN. A non-mercurial turf fungicide especially developed to combat brown patch and dollar spot. Well tolerated by grasses. Has a wide margin of safety. Thiosan goes into suspension easily. Usual rate of application, 1 lb. to 6000 sq. ft. of turf. Economical.

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Not mailable, 25-lb. drum \$30.00, 100-lb. drum \$115.00

SMACK (Kills Rose Bugs). A non-poisonous contact insecticide which will kill Rose bugs, Japanese beetles, red spiders, thrips, and various other beetles, flies and aphids. Will not burn or discolor either foliage or flowers. Not prepaid, 8-oz. can 50c., pt. 95c., qt. \$1.65

Not mailable, gal. \$5.00

SOAP SPRAY, IMP. A non-poisonous spray for Victory Gardens; also for fruit trees, evergreens, etc. Very effective in killing sucking insects. Use one part Imp Soap Spray with 25 to 40 parts of water. Not prepaid, qt. 1.00

Not mailable, gal. \$3.00, 5 gals. \$12.00

SOAP, FISH OIL. An old and very popular remedy for sucking and scale insects; also used as a spreading agent with other insecticides. Not prepaid, lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.60, 10 lbs. \$3.00

SULPHUR, COLLOIDAL (Linco Brand). For the control of Cedar Apple rust and other fungous diseases. Usual dilution: 6 lbs. to 100 gals. Not prepaid. Not mailable. Qt. bottle (3 lbs. net weight) \$1.50, gal. size \$3.00

SULPHUR, Wettable or Dusting. A Summer spray for the control of Apple and Peach scab, leaf-spot, mildew and other sulphur-responding diseases of fruits, shrubs and other plants. Use 5 to 6 lbs. per 100 gals. water; 8 level teaspoonfuls to one gallon. This sulphur is also used for dusting and is effective wherever sulphur dusting is recommended.

Not prepaid, 2 lbs. 30c., 5 lbs. 60c.
Not mailable, 50 lbs. \$5.00

SUNOCO SPRAY. A self-emulsifying spray-oil that kills scale, aphids, psylla, red mite, leaf-hopper and certain other insects that overlive Winter on trees. Successfully used for the control of lace-wing fly on Rhododendrons. For general use as dormant spray mix 1 gallon with 24 gallons water. Will not injure paint.

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TANGLE FOOT, TREE. Perfect safeguard for trees, vines and shrubs against gypsy, browntail moths and other creeping insects. Not prepaid, 6-oz. can 45c., lb. can 80c., 5-lb. can \$3.75, 10-lb. can \$7.00

Not mailable, 25-lb. can \$15.00

TANGLEFOOT TREE BANDS. For indirect banding—Tree Bands are available for those who object to direct application. These removable bands are placed "wool" side to bark of tree and then coated with Tree Tanglefoot. 3 inches wide. Not prepaid.

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TEROGEN. Autumn-Winter ground dressing. Tero-gen destroys fungi spores which live over Winter on fallen foliage and kills the larvae of harmful insects in the soil. 10 lbs. will treat 100 sq. ft.

Not prepaid, lb. 75c., 5 lbs. \$2.75, 10 lbs. \$4.75
Not mailable, 25 lbs. \$11.00, 100 lbs. \$40.00

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Not prepaid. Not mailable.

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Not prepaid, lb. 25c., 5 lbs. 65c.

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A. Kit (Sh. wt. 3 lbs.)..... \$1.50

B. Kit (Sh. wt. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs.)..... \$4.00

C. Kit—Not mailable..... \$6.00

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TRI-GEN DUST. A new product for those who prefer dusting to spraying. It serves the same purposes as liquid Tri-ogen in protecting Roses from black spot, mildew and both chewing and sucking insects.

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